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WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds; fair; not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate northeast winds; fair, with stationary or slightly lower temperature; morning fog patches.

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PRODIGIOUS RESULTS OBTAINED BY EFFORT MADE BY GT. BRITAIN

Chamberlain, in Review of War Situation, Declares Allies Fighting on Behalf of Every Nation in Fear of Aggression—No Threat From Accumulation of Power

LONDON, Jan. 31 (C.).—Prime Minister Chamberlain today said Britain is fighting for every nation that fears aggression. He reviewed in an address before the National Defence and Public Interest Committee the "prodigious results" of the Empire war effort—more than 1,250,000 men under arms, airplane construction stepped up to a point seven times greater than 1935-36, orders for supplies totaling nearly £200,000,000 ($890,000,000) doubled and in some cases quadrupled gun production, and shell output ten times more rapid than that of 1914.

Yet no neutral, he said, "feels itself threatened by this enormous accumulation of power."

TRADE WILL PROSPER

To the United States he said her war-withered trade with Britain will prosper when "the time comes to turn once more from war to peace."

He gave back gibe for gibe to Adolf Hitler, who yesterday jeered at "old Mr. Chamberlain and his Bible," and threatened England and France with a taste of "the fight they asked for."

"We are prepared for air raids if they should come," said the Prime Minister. He told his audience he was glad they had not found it

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DEATH ENDS LONG CAREER

Sir Herbert Marler, Former Minister to Japan, Dies At Montreal

MONTREAL, Jan 31 (CP) — Sir Herbert Marler, former Canadian Minister to the United States and Japan, died today in Royal Victoria Hospital, where he had been a patient since last June. He was sixty-three.

Sir Herbert, who was Canada's first Minister to Japan, enjoyed a long record of public service and was a former member of Parliament. He served in Japan from 1929 to 1936 when he was appointed envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the United States. He resigned this post in September 1939, because of ill health.

His death closed a period of public service that began when he was appointed to the Quebec Province Education Council. In 1917-18, during the first Great War, he was fuel administrator for Quebec.

IN KING CABINET

A former Cabinet minister, he was elected to the House of Commons for Montreal St. Lawrence-St George riding as a Liberal in 1921. He was sworn to the Privy Council of Canada and called to Prime Minister Mackenzie King's Cabinet in 1925, but he was defeated in the general election of that year and resigned.

Sir Herbert was created a Knight Commander of the Order of St Michael and St. George in 1935. In 1934 he was awarded the Cross of

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JANUARY ENDS WITHOUT SNOW

Spring-Like Weather Marks Close of Unusually Mild Winter Month

Another Spring-like day yesterday brought to a close the mildest January Victoria has known in more than a decade, with an absence of snow and a mean temperature 4 degrees above average. There were few days with frost, and the lowest temperature recorded on the grass was 23 degrees, while on the standard screen the temperature was never less than 1 degree above freezing.

It was an unusually dry month, too. While other parts of the Pacific Coast experienced severe floods and prolonged periods of wet weather, Victoria's rainfall for the month was considerably less than half the January average.

The synopsis of the month's weather, issued yesterday by the Meteorological Observatory at Gonzales, showed that the maximum temperature recorded during the month was 53 degrees, on January 28, and the minimum 33 degrees, on January 25, while the minimum on the grass was 23 degrees, on January 12. The mean temperature for the month was 43 degrees.

LITTLE RAINFALL

Rainfall during the month totaled 2.08 inches, which was 2.41 inches below normal, and the smallest rainfall in January since 1930. Bright sunshine during the month totaled sixty-five hours, which was two hours below the average.

At Victoria College the maximum temperature for the month was recorded yesterday, 55 degrees, and the minimum, on January 13, 32 degrees. The mean temperature for the month was the same as recorded at Gonzales.

Rainfall registered at the college totaled 2.29 inches, which was 2.20 inches below normal. Rain fell on sixteen days, and the heaviest fall in one twenty-four hour period was 0.78 of an inch, on January 27.

The maximum temperature recorded at Gonzales and the college yesterday was 55 degrees, while the minimum reading at the observatory was 47 degrees, and at the college 44 degrees.

Icebreaker Used to Aid Train Ferry

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 31 (AP) An icebreaker was sent tonight to assist an ice-locked train ferry with fifty passengers in the Ore Sound, between Elsinore, Denmark, and Helsingborg, Sweden.

The ferry was drifting in the ice, carrying the Oslo express. Ferries to Germany, and most of those to Sweden, have halted operations because of the worst ice jams in years.

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RUSSO-JAPANESE TALKS ABORTIVE

Joint Commission Studying Boundary Dispute Abandons Efforts For Settlement

MOSCOW, Feb 1 (AP) A communique issued by the joint Soviet-Mongolian and Japanese-Manchukuoan boundary commission said its efforts to find a line of demarcation had been abandoned because of a "total divergence of viewpoints."

The communique, distributed by Tass, Soviet official news agency, said the commission met sixteen times during December and January, but that at the conclusion of its final meeting on Tuesday it found the conferees were as far apart as ever.

The commission was appointed following the armistice of September 15 which ended sporadic warfare on the disputed boundary between Japanese-dominated Manchukuo and Sovietized Outer Mongolia.

Work in Wintry Weather Behind Lines

Judged on Performance, Fighting Planes of the Allies Have Proved Faster and Deadlier Than Germany's Best. These R.A.F. Mechanics Are Working on a Snow-Covered Plane Behind the Lines in France, Where Winter Has Also Come.

Japan Not Averse To Third Nation Rights in China

Foreign Minister Reviews Foreign Relations in Speech to Diet—Hopes Britain and United States Will Understand Japan Determined To Establish New Order in the Orient

TOKIO, Feb. 1 (CP-Havas).—Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita today told the Diet, in a speech covering the whole of Japanese foreign relations, that Japan is determined to establish the "new order" in China and hopes that Great Britain and the United States will understand and accept that fact.

Japan, he said, has "absolutely no desire to do away with the rights and interests of third powers in China."

He added, however, that "It is inevitable that trade and other economic activities of the third powers should be affected at times by military operations."

REMAINING NEUTRAL

The Foreign Minister said Japan intends to remain aloof from the war, but once peace comes it will play its part in the "drastic changes" to follow, regardless of the outcome.

He expressed Japan's cordial friend ship for its fellow-neutral Italy, and for Germany, and said he hoped his country's relation

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Industry in Japan Slows Down Again

TOKIO, Feb. 1 (Thursday) (AP) Japan's giant industrial machine slowed almost to a snail's pace today following enforcement of drastic new restrictions on electric power consumption.

The latest curtailment, fifth in five months because of an acute power "famine," was ordered for an additional ten days in fourteen prefectures of which Osaka, Japan's chief manufacturing centre, is the keypoint. Other principal industrialized areas affected included Kobe and Kyoto.

ITALIAN PAPER RAPS RUSSIANS

Describes Hitler's Treaty With Soviet "Pact With The Devil"

ROME, Jan. 31 (AP) The influential newspaper Il Messaggero today said that Adolf Hitler's remarks yesterday on the Russo-German pact afforded a "reasonable explanation for the treaty," but that the pact was considered by Italians to be a pact with the devil.

Hitler said "through centuries Germany and Russia were friends—why not now?" He said Germany's pact with the Soviet made her "safe from the rear."

STILL FRIENDS

Hitler's declaration that Italy and Germany still were good friends, the newspaper said, represented only a simple reassertion of known facts.

That Germany has followed a policy of a belligerent in war certainly can understand, Il Messaggero continued.

However, the newspaper contended, Soviet Russia will continue to be "religiously, socially and politically public enemy No. 1 of Christian civilization" in Italian eyes and that opinion of her always will be held by the principals who fought and won the crusade in Spain. . . . In this Italy has not changed and remains the Mediterranean pole of world anti-Communism."

RUSSIAN BOMBS SLAY CHILDREN

Red Raiders Over Finnish Town Kill and Wound Civilian Residents

ROVANIEMI, Jan 31 (AP) — Fifteen persons were killed and about sixty injured when twenty-seven Russian bombers came over this important Northern Finnish town in three waves today and dropped 150 bombs.

Among the dead were seven small children and three women.

The bombers came over in three groups of nine each and the air raid alarm lasted for two hours.

Five of the children were killed in one building by a bomb which struck a corner door and tore out an entire wall. Two women in the building escaped injury.

Five persons, including two children and a woman who had just arrived to give birth to a baby, were killed when some of the bombs struck a hospital.

LINE STANDS FAST

SOMEWHERE IN FINLAND, Jan 31 (AP) — General Hugo Osterman, commander-in-chief of Finland's arms said today Russian troops had failed to advance at any point beyond defence lines chosen by the Finns immediately after the outbreak of war two months ago.

The general received foreign correspondents at his field headquarters.

"We have the symptoms of the whole world in our struggle. But a little country like Finland always needs more men and more arms. Against steel we need steel. Against cruel bombing squadrons we must have more pursuit planes."

RAIL SERVICES BEING RESUMED

Trains Operating in England After Blizzard—Some Centres Isolated

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP) Great Britain's inland communication lines tangled due to severe weather, are beginning to unravel, but reports were still being received tonight of villages being isolated. Some places in Yorkshire are running short of food and drinking water.

A two-coach special train arrived at Glasgow, bringing all but ten of four hundred train and bus passengers who had been marooned since Saturday in Lanarkshire.

Six hundred passengers stranded at Preston from Sunday until today had a good time. Movies were opened free for them and other arrangements were made for their comfort and enjoyment.

Many thousands of tons of coal were stacked in Yorkshire collieries yards because no freight cars were available. Thousands of miners were in enforced idleness. But there will be plenty of work as soon as the transport problem is solved, as order books are full.

BORAH ESTATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP) The late Senator William Borah, of Idaho, left to his widow an estate of approximately $200,000, almost all of it in Government bonds. This will was written by hand on paper from a Senate table. It left "everything I have to my beloved Mary."

Province Committed To Oil Drilling in North Peace Region

Hon. W. J. Asselstine Announces Contract, Ranging Up to $168,750 for 7,500-Foot Bore, Arranged With Newell & Chandler, Ltd.

BRITISH Columbia was definitely committed to an oil drilling programme in the Peace River district yesterday, Hon. W. J. Asselstine announcing that the contract would be signed by the Government with Newell & Chandler, Ltd., Calgary, drilling contractors, on the basis of $22.50 per foot, up to 7,500 feet. Work is to start in May, the Province undertaking directly all save drilling costs in the venture.

At its maximum, the drilling contract would amount to $168,750, exclusive of road-making, transportation of equipment and construction of a camp at Commotion Creek, 800 miles from the centre of the Alberta oil field. Mr. Asselstine reiterated his conviction that the Province would find oil, stating geological reports indicated a favorable structure at 6,600 feet. A 6,600-foot hole would cost the Province $148,500 in drilling.

AGREEMENT REACHED

Announcing successful completion of the negotiations, leading now to a formal contract, the Minister of Mines said that competitive bids had been asked from Western Canada drillers. For a time the Province was in negotiation with Drilling Contractors, Ltd., Edmonton, closing, however, with Newell & Chandler, Ltd., Calgary, another firm.

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NATIONAL CABINET MANION'S POLICY

Conservative Leader Would Include Men of All Parties in Dominion Government

OTTAWA, Jan. 31 (CP) A National Government composed of both the old parties and if practicable, all important parties in the House of Commons," if he is called upon to form the next Dominion Government, was envisaged today by Dr. R. J. Manion, National Conservative leader.

In his statement issued at Ottawa in answer to a "flood" of approving messages received following his recent proposal for a National Government, Dr. Manion also suggested the Conservative party get together with other political groups in open convention to select candidates for the coming general election in constituencies where nominations have not yet been made.

The Conservative leader said it was his opinion that "at this time of world crisis and national danger our people do not want petty bickerings of party continuously sounding in their ears."

GOVERNMENT NOW IN CONTROL OF EVERY SHIP ON REGISTERS

Vast Programme of Building Also Arranged Under Control of Admiralty—Veterans of Clyde And Tyne, Sir James Lithgow and Sir Amos Ayre, to Direct

Ships When Built Will Be The Government's Property

LONDON, Jan. 31 (C.).—The British Government took control tonight of 17,000,000 tons of shipping, the largest merchant fleet in the world—every ship on the registers of Great Britain and her Colonies.

A secret shipbuilding programme of vast proportions will be centralized under control of the Admiralty. Two Scotsmen, Sir James Lithgow and Sir Amos Ayre, both of whom spent a lifetime in the Clydeside and Tyneside shipbuilding yards, will direct construction of new cargo and naval tonnage. It is proposed to utilize to capacity every shipbuilding yard in the country and it is possible extra orders may be placed in Canada.

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STABILIZING PRICES

In another place of the war-time [illegible] of the Exchequer [illegible] Government [illegible] $44,000,000 [illegible] prices and [illegible] from [illegible] in wartime.

[illegible] (000,000 [illegible] and back [illegible] was placed on [illegible] based on increased [illegible] costs. It is hoped the [illegible] of living [illegible]

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SHIP ORDERS COMING HERE

British Columbia Yards to Share in War Contracts, Ottawa Reports

OTTAWA, Jan. 31 (CP) British Columbia shipyards will share in wartime shipbuilding [illegible] shortly, it was learned here tonight. Following announcement that contracts totaling $11,200,000 had been awarded Quebec Province shipbuilders, it was reliably reported that British Columbia shipyards would receive orders within a few days for a score of similar vessels such as minesweepers of the whole corvette type.

Representatives of the West Coast shipbuilding industry have been in Ottawa conferring with the War Supply Board, under chairmanship of Wallace R. Campbell, for a share in the wartime shipbuilding programme. British Columbia it was pointed out, has seven shipyards with five of the larger ones equipped to produce vessels of up to 20,000 tons. Chief difficulty in the past, it has been that of a labor supply.

WAGES HIGHER

In the meantime, Eastern [illegible] have an advantage since it was reported that the average wage for a shipyard worker in British Columbia was [illegible] an hour as against [illegible] in Quebec shipyards. In addition Pacific Coast shipyards must pay freight on [illegible] from Eastern Canada, making an [illegible] of $30,000 [illegible]

[illegible]

SALARIED MEN

[illegible]

PAY SCHEDULES ARE ANNOUNCED

Member of Canada's War Supply Board Receiving Wage and Allowances

OTTAWA [illegible] Board [illegible] $6,000 a year and a [illegible] $5,000 [illegible]

In another [illegible] to credit [illegible] Board [illegible] $6,000 [illegible]

[illegible]

France's Finances Are Sound

PARIS, Jan. 31 (CP Havas) A meeting of stockholders of the Bank of France today was assured its governor, Pierre Fournier, that the nation's finances stood up well in the war.

After a national drive in the stock market during the first few days of the war, there has since been a rapid rise, excluding securities and stocks of [illegible].

Fresh funds of capital repatriated from abroad, he said, for French credit institutions, has expanded perceptibly, savings accounts have risen and currency is circulating as freely as in peacetime.

FORESTERS TO SERVE

WELLINGTON, Jan. 31 (CP Reuters) — [illegible] New Zealand Minister for Labor, announced today that the Government's call for recruits from the foresters at logging industries to form an [illegible] had met with a "most gratifying response."

Allied Naval Forces Combined to Combat German Sea Warfare

Units of French Fleet Part of Canadian Troop Convoy—Patrol Scheme Perfected Before Outbreak of Hostilities—Close Co-operation

LONDON, Jan. 31 (C.) — The close co-operation existing between the British and French navies in combating Germany's ruthless sea warfare is likely to prove a decisive factor in the war.

Plans had been formulated before the war and when the conflict broke out the French Navy immediately took over control of certain patrol zones. Units flying the Tricolor are constantly at sea, hunting U-boats, protecting commerce and helping sweep Germany's trade off the shipping lanes.

Two months [illegible] of the French fleet escorted from the protection of a wall of steel that surrounded the convoy of Canadian troop transports which crossed the North Atlantic in late December.

Some weeks ago the French Navy's patrol zones were widened and largely merged into the British zones. This put the fleets of the Allies into a closely dovetailed scheme for maintaining their command of the seas and looms as an even more important factor when it is considered that either one of the fleets is far greater numerically than that of Germany.

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VICTIMS OF RAID ON BRITISH SHIP

Survivors of Royal Crown, Bombed By Naval Planes, Land on Britain's Coast

[illegible] 4,664-ton British [illegible] in the North Sea on [illegible] and one of [illegible] sailing [illegible] lifeboat under [illegible] British [illegible] with fifteen [illegible]

One man [illegible] a German [illegible] flew low, machine-gunning the decks and killing the Royal Crown's anti-aircraft gunner before he could get into action. The plane returned and dropped a bomb, which struck amidships.

Four members of the crew were killed outright and the other eight were wounded. The bodies of seven deceased were [illegible] one in a lifeboat. A second lifeboat, carrying [illegible]

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events, selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

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LONDON, Jan. 31. After five weeks of fighting the stiffing Soviet forces which invaded Finland north of Lake Ladoga are now in a sorry plight and their offensive has failed, says The Times's special correspondent in Helsingfors.

They have lost 3,000 killed and 400 prisoners. The Russians are short of food and have been obliged to eat their horses, in some place.

In a single day Finnish fighter aircraft operating at various points have brought down twenty-one enemy bombers out of 200 raiders when attacked towns and villages this week.

The Finns have bombarded the Russian fortress of Kiestaki from the air, doing considerable damage. Railway stations on the Russian side of the frontier have also been assailed. Italian airmen are reported to have participated in some of these raids.

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Dealing rationally with Hitler's speech in which he rehashed old arguments about the ill-treatment of Germany in the Versailles Treaty and complained of the Allies forcing war on him, The Times says: "This tirade of whines, threats and hatred is an interesting example of the systematic mendacity upon which the German morale is apparently built.

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"It would have [illegible] a mistake to suppose there has been any measurable breakaway from allegiance to him in Germany. He is still the unchallenged leader and prophet of the greater Reich.

"His methods do not always command approval even among his followers and many of the staunchest of them dislike his policy of approach to Soviet Russia. But the whole Nazi movement has been built up on the basis of unquestioning obedience to the leader, and the spell is not yet broken."

The Times contrasts the democratic freedom of Britain and France where Hitler's speech is printed in full with the treatment that would be accorded a speech by a British or French statesman in the German state press.

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Criticizing what it calls the top-heavy composition of the War Cabinet, The Times says it is disposed to ask: "Is Treasury control of raw materials, munitions, private enterprise, prices, and wages so that the implications of a totally directed economy in the process of comparatively organization of the country's economic war effort are one aspect of inadequate representation in Chamberlain's Government?"

MAY NOT SHIP BUTTER

CANBERRA, Jan. 31 (CP Reuters) Owing to lack of refrigeration space, the Government today forbade Australians to include butter in hamper supplies to Great Britain. No restriction was placed on other rationed goods, such as bacon and sugar.

Y.M.C.A. Officers All Re-elected by Board of Directors

H. B. Witter Returned as Chairman for Tenth Term —W. T. Straith, M.P.P., Is Vice-Chairman— Twenty-Three Reports Tell of Activities

HIS tenth term as chairman of the Y.M.C.A. board of directors was commenced last night by H. B. Witter when he was unanimously re-elected to office at a brief directors' gathering following the annual meeting. W. T. Straith, M.P.P., was re-elected vice-chairman; J. A. Heritage, recording secretary, and J. O. Cameron, treasurer. Those elected to the board of directors for a three-year term, in addition to the above officers, were W. W. Martin, Dr. Allon Peebles, Rev. G. A. Reynolds and E. G. Rowebottom.

The nominating committee report, which was given by Mr. Straith, recommended that James Bennell, now serving in His Majesty's forces, be retained on the board as an honorary member, and that T. Money, recommended by the Trades and Labor Council, be appointed to serve the two-year balance of his unexpired term. Similar action will be taken in the case of any other directors who enlist in any of the services.

THANKS DIRECTORS

In his brief-opening remarks, Mr. Witter expressed his thanks to the board of directors for their co-operation during the past year. He spoke of the staff, F. Paulding, A. McKinnon and F. V. Shoemaker, in a commendable manner, praising them for the successful work accomplished by the Y.M.C.A. in 1939.

Appreciation was expressed to Mr. Witter for the valuable work he contributed during his tenure of office.

A total of twenty-three reports, a clear-cut picture of the active Y.M.C.A programme during 1939, was presented by various members.

The report of the educational and social committee, presented by Dr. T. W. A. Gray, told of the activities of two public speaking classes in the Spring and the Camera Club. Four public speaking groups were organized and operated in the Fall.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

J. V. Johnson, in the house committee report, said that $9,624 was expended on the building last year, $1,046 less than the year before. The Ladies' Auxiliary report, presented by Mrs. E. Tomlin, showed that this committee kept up its good work. Dormitory returns for 1939 reached a new high for many years, $9,778; 1,150 free nights' lodgings were given.

E. G. Rowebottom presented the report of the membership committee, which showed a slight drop from that of 1938. In 1939 there was a total of 1,004 memberships and in 1938, 1,113. However, Mr. Rowebottom anticipated that the membership would increase this year.

Rev. G. A. Reynolds gave the report of the religious and foreign work committee, and the finance committee report, presented by J. O. Cameron, showed that the $578 provided by the Community Chest made up the difference between the general income of $21,490 and the expenditures of $30,068. The figures showed a budget surplus of $251.23, which was at the disposal of the Chest. However, Mr. Cameron pointed out that the sum of $2,570.47 was outstanding for accounts due and said that the board might have to ask the Chest to help them meet this amount.

TABLOID REPORTS

Tabloid reports of physical department groups were presented as follows: Badminton, Fred Arnot; senior leader corps, Lionel Cox; junior leader corps, J. Taylor; swimming clubs, G. Morgan; swimming instruction, Miss E. Peden; track and field, W. M. Martin; tumbling, Leonard Oliver; physical department, E. Harrison; boys' division, S. J. D. Clack; Camp Thunderbird, Mr. Straith; Hi-Y Club, Kenneth Wills; Phalanx Club, H. Alexander; Camera Club, M. Pickering; Speakers' Club, Miss E. Brown; Toastmasters' Club, J. Pearson; and public speaking, Tuesday class, H. Garland; Thursday class, Miss D. Burton. Mr. Straith also gave a progress report on the association's war service work in Victoria.

The opening devotional was led by Dean Spencer H. Elliott. Musical selections were contributed by the Ariel Singers, under the direction of Frank Tupman, with Miss K. Irvine as accompanist, and community singing was led by Norval Peterson.

Again Head Y.M.C.A.

H. B. WITTER

W. T. STRAITH, M.P.P.

Active members of the Victoria Y.M.C.A., who were returned to the positions of chairman and vice-chairman, respectively, of the board of directors, following the annual meeting held last night. Mr. Witter has served nine years as chairman of the board, of which he has been a member twenty-two years, and Mr. Straith also has an enviable record in association work in this city.

GOVERNMENT IN CONTROL OF SHIPS

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stabilized at its present level, 10 per cent higher than at the outbreak of war.

By centralizing the control of shipbuilding the Government will be able to allocate labor and materials between the naval and merchant services instead of the two competing against each other.

SHIPS UNDER CHARTER

Britain has many neutral-owned ships under charter—the totals are an official secret—but they constitute a steady drain of foreign currency which must be husbanded for essential purchases. In addition these neutral shipowners are being paid exceedingly high rentals, which will be saved when the new building programme starts producing ships in numbers.

After announcing the appointments of Sir Amos Ayre and Sir James Lithgow, the Prime Minister said:

"The question of finance will be the responsibility of the Admiralty. When built they (the ships) will be the property of the Government."

EFFORT BRINGS GREAT RESULTS

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necessary to conceal "time or place" of the gathering. Hitler's sportspalast speech was not announced until shortly before it began, the place was kept secret within Germany until the meeting started.

To Japan, he voiced his distress that she should be concerned over British war methods.

COMPELLED TO CURTAIL

"We have in the past been the largest customer of the United States for their agricultural produce," Mr. Chamberlain said. "As soon as the war began we were compelled to curtail our import of things which were not essential to us that we may concentrate our dollar resources upon purchase from the United States of these enormous masses of munitions and equipment which it is necessary for us to have in order to carry on the struggle.

"But let nobody suppose that we want to use the measures that we have taken for any purpose other than prosecution of the war, nor that we are indifferent to losses which neutrals may thereby sustain."

Then, praising the Anglo-American trade agreement of more than a year ago, and its most-favored-nation principle, he went on:

"One of our foremost aims in the future will be the restoration of international trade, which seems to us to present the best opportunities for restoring in turn the standard of living and consuming power of nations. That is the policy we have in mind when the time comes to turn once more from war to peace."

SUBMARINE SUNK

Mr. Chamberlain's speech included the first announcement that a German submarine, which yesterday attacked a convoy, had been sunk by British planes and warships.

A subsequent announcement disclosed the submarine was destroyed after it sank the 5,063-ton British tanker Vacilite in the convoy. The tanker's crew was rescued by an Italian ship. The U-boat was sunk by a bomb from a Royal Air Force flying boat, after it was crippled by depth charges from the convoy's warship escorts.

Of Japan's protests over the seizure of twenty-one Germans by a British warship from the Japanese steamship Asamu Maru, Mr. Chamberlain said:

"Nothing could distress us more than that the Japanese Government or people should feel that we have exercised our belligerent rights with any want of courtesy or respect for them."

TREMENDOUS EXTENT

In summing up the war effort the Prime Minister said he wondered if "we landsmen" realize the tremendous extent of the waters patrolled by the navy.

"Why from the north of Scotland to the coast of Greenland that space or gap through which a German raider has to pass to reach the Atlantic, is 1,000 miles long, and in Wintertime visibility by day is no more than a mile. And yet that space is being continuously patrolled by the British Navy with increasing success," he said.

"At the very time Sir Henry Harwood was fighting his historic action in the South Atlantic"—his flotilla of three cruisers defeated the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, which subsequently was scuttled—H.M.S. Salmon was torpedoing cruisers in the North Sea.

"And at the same moment the British Navy was convoying Canadian troops across the Atlantic, and yet other troops were coming from Bombay through the Mediterranean."

MAGNIFICENT COURAGE

He paid tribute to the "magnificent courage" of fishermen and merchant seamen who are undergoing "those cowardly attacks" from German aircraft which "make haste to return home as soon as fire is opened on them."

GOVERNOR OPENS BROCK MEMORIAL

New U.B.C. Building at Vancouver Is Dedicated to Memory of Former Dean

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31 (CP).—Lieutenant-Governor E. W. Hamber praised the spirit of co-operation and loyalty displayed by University of British Columbia students today as he opened the new Brock Memorial Building.

"My exhortation to all graduates and under-graduates would be to use all your influence with and through your university societies," he said, "for through you can be accomplished a great work of inestimable worth to your university."

Rev. George C. F. Pringle dedicated the student building to the memory of Dean and Mrs. R. Brock, who were killed in an airplane crash in 1935.

FISH IN ICE

EDENTON, N.C., Jan. 31 (AP).—High winds blew the Rocky Hook Creek out of its course near here and a cold wave, setting in almost immediately, froze the stream. Youngsters with buckets, saws and hatchets gathered a harvest of fish, ranging up to fifteen-pound white bass.

Re-Elected President Of Legion Branch

—Photo by Cherer.

W. C. FYFE

WHO was re-elected for a second term as president of the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, at the annual meeting, held recently. Mr. Fyfe, who is retired, has taken an active part in the operation of the popular Legion unit.

POLICE LOCATE RACKET LEADER

Discover Syndicate Operated By Legless Beggar in Budapest, Rumania

BUCHAREST, Jan. 27 (CP-Havas).—A legless "king of beggars" with minions in the police department, expensive limousines, extensive property, thousands in the bank and champagne for his friends, was discovered in an investigation conducted by Rumanian police.

The beggar king, Tanase Burdugan, was surprised in the midst of a champagne party at which he and his tools in the police force were toasting the success of their syndicate.

Three police commissioners and seven policemen, whose task it was to arrest any independent competitors of the Burdugan syndicate, were immediately discharged.

BIG PROFITS

Burdugan, police found from detailed accounts seized in his home, controlled the "take" of hundreds of beggars. His profit ran into millions of leis (1,000,000 leis would be $7,300).

Burdugan was a familiar figure in Bucharest. Every morning he would wheel himself on his little cart to a fixed spot on Rosetti Square, where he solicited coins.

Each night, police learned after the investigation began, Burdugan turned into a street nearby where a slick limousine, his own personal car, waited for him. He had two other cars and owned two buildings.

Ontario to Increase Tax on Corporations To Bolster Revenues

Measure Introduced in Legislature to Be Retroactive and Will Affect Wide Range of Companies—Move Made by Premier

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP).—Premier Mitchell Hepburn, as Provincial Treasurer, moved today to bolster Ontario's financial position both in the current fiscal year and in the one to begin on April 1 next. Corporations were the target.

In a surprise move, anticipating the budget announcement of higher taxation, Attorney-General Gordon Conant, seconded by the Premier, brought into the Legislature today a measure to amend the Corporation Tax Act and to make the higher rates effective in the amendment retroactive.

The basic change is an increase of 3 per cent in the tax payable on net income by all ordinary corporations. The increase is to apply to all companies whose financial years ended between December 31, 1938, and November 1, 1939. This retroactive feature means that the Premier expects the tax to yield considerable in current revenue for the present fiscal year.

GIVES $5,000,000

The Premier budgeted for $10,000,000 from the corporation tax on the basis of the old rate, 2 per cent. The increase to 5 per cent for ten months may bring him another $5,000,000 revenue.

The bill provides for a one-quarter increase, also retroactive, on taxes payable to the Province in respect of income by insurance companies, railways, telegraph companies, banks, telephone companies, express companies and car companies. All these corporations in the act are dealt with separately from the class of general corporations.

The tax calculated on the net income derived by railways from operations of hotels is increased to 5 per cent from 2 per cent by another section.

LIEN ON PROPERTY

Another clause in the bill provides that every tax and penalty under the Corporations Tax Act imposed on an incorporated company owning, operating or using a railway shall be a special lien on the property. Priority to such a lien is given as follows:

"In priority to every claim, privilege, lien or encumbrance, whether heretofore or hereafter created of every person and the lien and its priority shall not be lost or impaired by any neglect, omission or error of any Minister, officer, servant or agent of the Crown or by want of registration."

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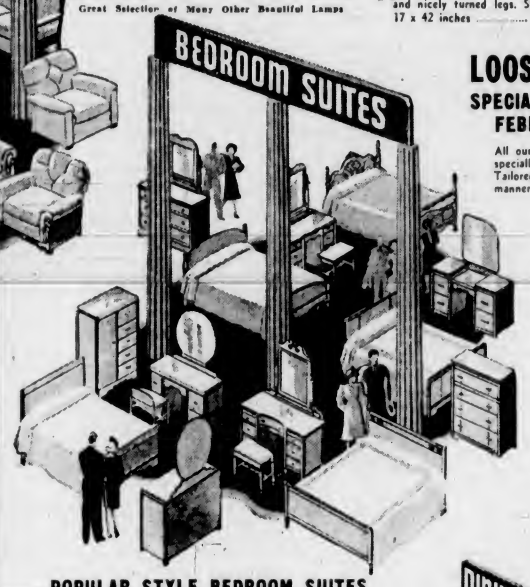

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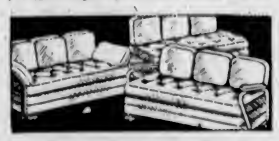

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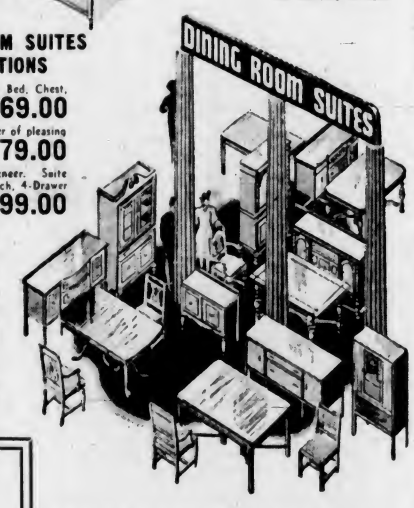

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Mrs. Ella Gertrude Shaw Took Part in Many Benevolent Activities Here

Mrs. Ella Gertrude Shaw, who took part in many benevolent activities in Victoria before going to Vancouver to live about fifteen years ago, passed away on Saturday after a long illness.

Eldest daughter of the late C. H. Lugrin, formerly editor of The Daily Colonist, and Mrs. Lugrin, Mrs. Shaw was the widow of Nathaniel P. Shaw, who died in the Clallam disaster in 1904. She was born in Fredericton, N.B., and came West with the family, living in Seattle for a few years before coming to Victoria in the late 90's.

Her devotion to charitable and patriotic work made Mrs. Shaw a helpful member of several organizations pledged to humanitarian service. She was prominently associated with the Friendly Help Society for years and during the last war was convener of the Esquimalt branch of the Red Cross Society, in which she was given honorary life membership. At one time she was secretary of the Alexandra Club, and she was also active in the affairs of the Daughters of the Empire and the Island Arts and Crafts Society.

She is survived by one son, Charles L., in Vancouver, and five sisters, Mrs. E. B. Shaw, Nellie, Louise and Mrs. Wendell B. Shaw, now in Victoria, and Mrs. J. M. Fahey, Toronto.

Private funeral services will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel this afternoon, Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce officiating. Interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GEORGIAN CHOIR MUCH ENJOYED

Well-Balanced Ensemble Heard Last Night, With Assisting Soloists

The Georgian Choristers had an enthusiastic audience of more than 250 for their concert at the Oak Bay United Church last night, the entertainment being for the joint benefit of the choir and Sunday school. Assisting artists, also all greatly enjoyed, were Dudley Wickett, tenor; Patricia Williams, violinist, and Mrs. M. Mulholland, elocutionist; with Mrs. J. Ratcliffe, contralto, and Lillian Meston, mezzo, both members of the choir, in additional solo groups.

Mrs. Georgina Watt, a thorough musician, an experienced conductor, showed complete authority in her leadership of the twenty-six voices composing the choir. The choir sang without music. Among the most beautiful were Spross' "Will o' the Wisp," which because of its phantom qualities is particularly suited to an ensemble of women's voices; Boughton's "Pipers' Song," and the three or four special gems of the second part of the programme: Percy Fletcher's "Follow Me Down," where the tempo was kept bright and lilting; Elgar's "Snow," the beautiful legato quality of which was heightened by the lovely two-violin obbligato played by Dorothy Francis and Patricia Williams; and Brahms' "Lullaby," with hummed refrain. These were all accompanied numbers, Ethel James showing sensitive artistry at the piano.

Dudley Wickett, first of the guest soloists, brought characteristic pleasing qualities of voice and style to the singing of such favorites as Graham Peel's "In Summertime on Bredon," beautiful in its simplicity; Robert Jones' "What if I Seek for Love"; Michael Head's "Ships of Arcady," and his two encores, particularly the last, "Passing By." Miss Williams, the violinist, was specially enjoyed in her Brahms' "Hungarian Dance," which had nice firm tone, her accompanist being Dorothy Francis. Mrs. M. Mulholland, guest artist, recited Service's "Song of the Pacifist," "Innocent Offender," and "Mother's Prayer."

HIGHWAVE SINKS

PLUSHING, The Netherlands, Jan. 31 (AP).—Eighteen survivors of the 1,178-ton British steamer Highwave, two of them wounded by machine-gun bullets, reached here tonight to tell how a German plane dropped twenty bombs at her Monday o the British coast before sinking her with a direct hit.

The big plane roared over the Highwave four times, they said, dumping five bombs each time. On the second dive the plane turned its machine-guns on the boat.

The Highwave sank in four minutes after the direct hit finally was scored. The crew stuck by the ship until she was hit. All were picked up.

Crewmen of the Dutch Ms. Rian, which brought the survivors to port, witnessed the attack. They said the explosions of the bombs lifted the Rian four feet in the water, but that the Dutch boat was not attacked.

NO STATE DINNERS

QUEBEC, Jan. 31 (CP).—Because of the war, there will be no official State dinners and receptions during the Quebec Legislature session, which opens February 20, it was learned today. Officials said the decision had been taken as a result of Premier Godbout's belief the receptions would be "inappropriate" in wartime.

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BRITAIN FIGHTS AGAINST BONDAGE

Versailles Frontiers Not Issue in Present World Conflict, Says Lord Lloyd

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP).—In a pamphlet, "The British Case," which has the endorsation of Lord Halifax, Lord Lloyd, one-time High Commissioner to Egypt, holds that the war is one between the Christian ideal of freedom, on which the nation states of Europe have been built through the centuries, and the Nazi dream of the domination of a super-state, holding the people in bondage.

"Let Western Europe," says Lord Lloyd, "return to the domination of a single and alien power and her peoples will inevitably and quickly revert to the standard of living of the Russian and Chinese peasant or laborer.

"We are not fighting, then, for the Versailles frontiers. We are fighting because if we acquiesced in the subjugation of the European states to a single ruler, we should be turning our back on history, denying our spiritual heritage, and repudiating our obligation to posterity. This case has not and cannot be answered by Germany."

BETTER HORSE MARKET

MOOSE JAW, Jan. 31 (CP).—Improvement in the horse market due to the war was forecast by William Nesbitt, of Kerrobert, president of the Saskatchewan Belgian Club, today when speaking to delegates at the Saskatchewan Livestock convention.

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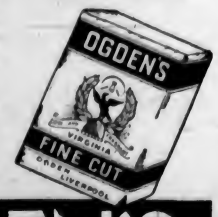

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REASONS FOR DISSOLUTION

The apologists for Mr. Mackenzie King are explaining his abrupt action in dissolving Parliament by saying that he never had any intention of holding a session last month, and that he merely "called Parliament." No one outside his confidence realized that he was quibbling in summoning the Members to Ottawa. It is, moreover, very certain that many of them, if they had been aware that there would be no session, would never have made the journey to the capital, involving expense and waste of time. One of his apologists attributes to the Prime Minister the belief that a fifth-year session of Parliament would be fatal to the Administration, and that he thought it wrong for any Parliament to extend its own life, even under wartime conditions.

Mr. King has given one reason for the sudden dissolution as his conviction that the War will break out in all its fury in the Spring, and that, therefore, it is desirable to get an election over before this happens. In fact, it seems, that it was his desire to shorten the election campaign. The Winnipeg Tribune says that the Prime Minister consulted with Dr. R. J. Manion, the Conservative leader, on a proposal to reduce the period of the campaign to twenty-eight days, but that "nothing came" of that proposal. The Tribune asks why the Prime Minister, "with 180 of the 245 Members of the House of Commons behind him, feared to ask the House to make a simple amendment to the Election Act for which every practical justification existed. If nothing came of it, it was because Mr. King was afraid to give Parliament a chance to discuss his war effort at this stage." The Tribune then goes on to say:

"It is explained that Mr. King 'did not lose his temper' when Premier Hepburn and Colonel Drew attacked him, and the Ontario Legislature went on record against his Government. It was a relief; it cleared away his last doubts; it allowed his superstitious dread of 'the fifth year' and his prejudices to take full sway. But nothing is said of the evidences that he was still undecided until the afternoon of the session, when speeches by Mr. Manion and Mr. Woodsworth showed that he would have to face criticism and direct questioning in the House. It was then that the final decision was made. On the whole this is a rather revealing 'analysis'. It shows that Mr. King's much-bruited respect for Parliament is in reality a lively interest in retaining his hold on power. Of genuine respect for Parliament the amount and quality is shown by its cavalier and contemptuous dismissal at the very time when Parliament might have turned a searchlight on his failures."

QUEBEC AND THE SEAWAY

In the discussions on the St. Lawrence Waterway development, now said to be nearing an amicable conclusion, the Province of Quebec is not being consulted. Premier Godbout, however, is determined, if he can have his way, that nothing will be done without Quebec's sanction, for he regards what is proposed as affecting the vital economic interests of the Province. Mr. Godbout has not declared what will be the policy of his Government. It is recalled, however, that Mr. Taschereau, when Premier, was strongly opposed to the alienation of Quebec's highway to the ocean. Similarly, the Duplessis Government was antagonistic to the scheme, and on both occasions Ontario and Quebec were at one in their opposition. In commenting on a project, now the subject of exchanges between the Canadian and American Governments, The Montreal Gazette says:

"Today, when every ounce of the nation's economic strength is required for the prosecution of the War, any serious official consideration of this project becomes an outrage upon the common sense of the Canadian people, and reveals, on the part of the Government, a cynical indifference to its own war responsibility. The Prime Minister cannot proceed with these negotiations and still expect the Canadian people to maintain confidence in either the spirit or the practical efficiency of his war policy."

CANADIAN STUDENTS ASSEMBLY

The students of Mount Allison University have dissociated themselves from what is known as the Canadian Students Assembly, an organization which foregathered recently at Ste. Anne de Bellevue. The name of this body would imply that the opinions it expresses represent those of many university students of the country, but, in view of the expose by Dean C. A. Krug, of Mount Allison University, it is patent this cannot be the case. He says that the main assumption on the part of the speakers at the meeting at Ste. Anne de Bellevue was that "the British connection and British traditions in Canada was a thoroughly bad one; that the present War in which we are engaged was one of Imperial aggression on the part of Great Britain, and that no vital Canadian interest was at stake in the struggle. Great Britain was quite frankly blamed for Germany's attack on Poland and Russia's rape of Finland."

Dean Krug made his charges in The Argosy Weekly, the student publication at Mount Allison. What he learned about the meeting at Ste. Anne de Bellevue forced him to the conclusion that the organized group running the conference "represented merely the lunatic fringe of student opinion whose determination, conscious or unconscious, was to use the good intentions of the rest of us for the purpose of anti-war, anti-British and morale sabotage." He had no legal proof, he said, that the assembly was engineered by members or fellow-travelers of the Communist Party. He is aware, however, that such connections are not unknown in American student organizations, but he believed that the Canadian Students Assembly would be better named as the "Canadian Socialist Assembly" or the "Canadian Soviet Corporative Assembly."

The Saint John Telegraph-Journal considers that it is the duty of the Government to investigate to the full the entire proceedings of the student meeting of the Canadian Students Assembly at Macdonald College. It points out that "probably all connection with Communism will be denied by those who participated in the Macdonald College deliberations. That, as has been revealed in the United States, is part of the Bolshevik technique. These people have neither the courage nor the decency outwardly to proclaim the views which they try to inflict on their fellow-Canadians by underhand methods."

WITHOUT MILITARY RECOMPENSE

Bombing of open towns in Finland remains what it was in Spain, destruction without military recompense. In this, war is carried against non-combatants in an effort to terrorize them. The effect, however, is the reverse. Bombed in their villages, towns and cities, with the ruins of hospitals, museums and churches laid around them, people stiffen their resistance to aggression. They flock to the colors so that they may strike back.

In four campaigns now that has been confirmed. In all save backward countries, where hate is the mainspring of action, it has been realized for some time that indiscriminate bombing is not only a military loss, but a tactical blunder. The losses in fighting effectiveness do not make up for the insignificant gains in a weakened morale. Against determined opponents there is an improvement in the morale of the defending side.

Recently, Great Britain published a series of photographs taken at low altitude over Nazi airdromes and seadromes on the North Sea Coast. The photographs showed in detail where facilities on the ground had been disposed; hangars, runways, repair shops, and the rest of it. For every click of the camera's shutter a bomb could have been dropped. The photographs were of greater importance; both from a military standpoint and from the effect on the enemy.

In some of its phases, totalitarian warfare is totalitarian nonsense: ineffectual hate expending itself in blind, unreasoning fury. The Allies can well abide the result of an issue against such tactics.

Dean Inge defines Fascism, which he believes connotes Nazism as well, as anti-everything. He says: "It is anti-liberal and anti-conservative; anti-religious and anti-atheist; anti-capitalist and anti-communist; anti-war and anti-pacifist; against big business and against the small tradesman. Peter Drucker, an Austrian, heard a Nazi agitator wildly applauded when he exclaimed: 'We don't want lower bread prices; we don't want higher bread prices, we don't want unchanged bread prices; we want National-Socialist bread prices.' This, he says, came nearer to explaining Nazism than anything he has heard since."

THE RED CROSS NURSES

Out where the line of battle cleaves
The horizon of woe,
And sightless warriors clutch the leaves,
The Red Cross nurses go.
In where the cots of agony
Mark death's unmeasured tide—
Bearing the battle's harvestry—
The Red Cross nurses glide.

Look! Where the hell of steel has torn
Its way through slumbering earth
The orphaned urchins kneel forlorn
And wonder at their birth.
Until, above them, calm and wise
With smile and guiding hand,
God looking through their gentle eyes,
The Red Cross nurses stand.

—T. L. Masson.

This England never did, nor never shall, lie at the proud foot of a conqueror.—Shakespeare.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 31, 1940.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure is abnormally high over Alberta and Saskatchewan, but low off the California and Oregon Coasts. The weather has been fine and cooler throughout British Columbia Interior, and it remains warm along this Coast.

Temperatures have fallen in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	47	55
Nanaimo	--	37	52
Vancouver	--	32	49
Kamloops	--	27	33
Prince George	--	14	30
Estevan Point	--	41	58
Prince Rupert	--	38	55
Langara	--	47	49
Atlin	--	29	42
Dawson	--	2*	10
Seattle	--	38	60
Portland	--	46	58
San Francisco	.02	53	64
Spokane	--	30	51
Penticton	--	30	-
Vernon	--	25	-
Kelowna	--	28	34
Grand Forks	--	21	39
Nelson	--	24	39
Kaslo	--	19	-
Cranbrook	--	6	30
Calgary	--	14	35
Edmonton	Trace	9	18
Swift Current	.02	9	21
Moose Jaw	.02	11	33
Prince Albert	.01	11	18
Winnipeg	.10	12	23
Tuesday—			
Toronto	--	12	30
Ottawa	--	0	19
Saint John	--	8	25
Halifax	--	13	22

* Below zero.

WEDNESDAY

Minimum	47
Maximum	55
Average	51
Minimum on the grass	40

Weather, fair; sunshine, Jan. 31, 6 hrs. 30 min.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; wind, N., 15 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04; wind, NW., 5 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.39; wind, E., 2 miles; cloudy.

Grand Forks—Barometer, 30.32; calm; clear.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.32; wind, S., 2 miles; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; wind, S., 5 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 30.00; wind, SE., 5 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.05; wind, S., 5 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.00; wind, E., 21 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.97; wind, E., 15 miles; fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.00; wind, NW., 5 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.82; wind, SE., 10 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

It takes a Man to sit on the Stone of Scone.

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We have a Man there now!

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Adolf the First, or Adolf the Only, might aspire to it; but he will have to spell "fit" first.

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Peculiar how a little word like "fit" has wrecked some of the loudest men in history.

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They get the "I" out all right, but the rest sticks in the mud of Flanders, the deserts of Arabia, or in the North Sea.

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Actually, the gentleman does not seem to be going anywhere, in particular.

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By the way, have you been following Rear Admiral Richard Byrd's trip at Antarctica?

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In a three-hour 'plane flight he discovered new mountain peaks, an island, and 300 miles of previously unexplored coastline.

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Anarctica is the place where a magnificent herd of ice-elephants fronts on the great barrier, at the entrance to a land of 5,000,000 square miles.

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Then there are the explorations at the Peace River pole; have you been following them?

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The taxpayers are about to dig for oil at Commotion Creek; and it is very brave of them, too.

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For every foot they dig down they will have to lay $22.50 in the hole; down to 6,600 feet.

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At 6,600 feet there is a "favorable oil structure"; but the six-thousand-six-hundredth foot will have cost $148,500.

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That will be a lot of money, in one hole. As an honorable gentleman said yesterday, "If the oil is there, we will be all right."

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If the oil is not there, he added, the Cabinet could always widen the bore at the bottom of the hole, and make a personal reconnaissance of the situation.

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Situations nearly always yield to a personal reconnaissance; even the most desperate situations. Here is hoping, however, that the oil is there; because who wants to lose $22.50 a foot?

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In the old days, people used to call personal reconnaissances at the foot of a 6,600-foot hole something of a gamble. Today, it is called progressive.

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If it were not so suggestive, one could say the taxpayers are very progressive; but "progressive taxpayers" has a two-edged bite to it. Who wants to progress in paying taxes?

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The foregoing unusual matters have been mentioned to prepare you for the truly unbelievable. Yesterday, the calendar read January 31, but in Victoria it was Spring.

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It is both uncommon and disconcerting to have seasons slip about on you like that; to have 1939 roses mixed up with 1940 pussy willows, wrens nesting in Oak Bay, and all that.

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It leaves no guarantee that in Spring there will not be some Winter, like the day a former Governor-General opened a flower show at the Willows.

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His Excellency marched up the steps of the flower show building through six inches of snow. That was in April. Everyone said it was unusual; that it had not happened before.

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His Excellency smiled, and responded politely. He said that of course he realized that! But you could see he was thinking; that he did not believe it.

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Next April we had a Midsummer's day. Nobody could bear to have a coat on—but we had no Governor-General. Life is like that.

T.B. Patients Given Concert

A very interesting concert was given last night at the Vernon Villa T.B. Hospital, by Frank Merryfield, the Cornish Wizard. Mr. Merryfield was assisted by Joyce Merriman, girl ventriloquist, and Messrs. A. De Girolamo and Denoni, who gave accordion selections.

The programme was sponsored by George Patton, who provided ice cream, candies and cakes for the patients.

The sponsor and the artists were warmly thanked by the patients for the entertainment.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of February 1, 1890)

Australian Wool—The first consignment of Australian wool ever brought to British Columbia for manufacturing purposes has arrived at Victoria for the Westminster woolen mills and will be taken to that city by the first boat. This is only a sample order, but if it proves satisfactory and produces the required quality of goods, a large quantity will be imported.

More Improvements—L. Buttress Trimen is calling for tenders for the erection of a two-story building with basement at the corner of Johnson Street and Oriental Alley for Henry Saunders, the well-known grocer. It will be forty feet front, with a depth of ninety-five feet . . . Work has been commenced on Spencer's addition to the Arcade on Broad Street . . . The tenants are moving out of the stores on Government Street below the Bank of B.C., which will be replaced by a brick building for Joseph Sommers.

On the Reef—As the steamer Falcon was going out of the harbor yesterday afternoon she ran on the reef past Hospital Point. She went on at about 2.30 and about 4 o'clock had keeled over on her side. It was expected that she would come off at high tide.

FIND MUCH CASH IN DEAD MAN'S POCKETS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31 (CP).—Police found more than $2,000 in bills in the pockets of Michele Cimino, fifty-seven-year-old shoeworker who collapsed and died at his work yesterday.

His employers said they were surprised by the size of the sum. They said Cimino had worked several years with them and had lived thriftily.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

In Hot Water?

The daughter of Clem, the Fort Street poet, had finished studying her high school chemistry lesson on the efficacy of hot water in making chemical solutions, and picked up dad's newspaper for diversion. Suddenly she turned to the poet and asked, "Dad, what is the matter about the King Government being dissolved. Are the members in hot water?" . . . On a street near the Junction there once dwelt a woman who changed the color of her hair four times to our knowledge. She always reminded us of a tale about a youth who invited a pal home to meet his sister. "Is she a blonde or a brunette?" the friend asked. "Blessed if I know," the girl's brother replied. "She left for a hairdresser's shop this morning" . . . The newly-painted street cars certainly brighten up the highways, but some passengers complain that the two shades of green on the numerals make them hard to distinguish . . . Soon there will probably be a hue and cry about plans to institute half-hour and two-hour parking. There is room at several locations for parking lots to take care of those who like to use the streets as public garages . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, read that golf was played in ancient Egypt. He wanted to know if it had any connection with the missing links that one sometimes reads about. —G.B.

New Use for "Chest Oil"

A friend of ours the other day passed on an interesting suggestion for users of cigarette lighters, particularly pipe smokers. There are many who find that they can't stand the flavor that lighters filled with ordinary fluid impart to their smokes, and our friend has found a novel solution of the difficulty. He fills his lighter with eucalyptus oil. The wick lights just as easily, the oil costs little if any more than lighter fluid, there is no unpleasant smell from the flame, and it's just possible that such fumes as there are may be good for one's throat, rather than an irritant.—R.M.

Glancing Over Sport

Anyone who saw the basketball game last Saturday at the Sports Centre between the Dominoes and the Seattle Savidges are clamoring for a return fixture. It was one of the best exhibitions of basketball ever played in this city, according to the fans who headed for the Willows. Sid, our sports scribe, says that he never saw a better game of basketball in all the years that he has been scribbling about the cage game, and he knows what he is talking about . . . What will be the verdict of the British Columbia Football Commission over the outcome of last Saturday's free-for-all during the Victoria-St. Andrews match? Talking about the latter club, Wally Rowe, well known local goalie who looked after the nets of the Saanich United, Victoria West, Saanich Thistles, Victoria United in the inter-city circuit, as well as against several visiting teams from various parts of the land is going to do goal work for St. Andrews, Vancouver, from now on. He will not only play against Victoria here, but will journey to Vancouver whenever the Scots are playing in league or cup competition. It only goes to show that St. Andrews have little confidence in the goalies they have already tried out this season. They have a mighty fine club, if you want to take last Saturday's performance into consideration, and with Rowe in goal, will be that much stronger on the defence.—J.D.

Maybe It Was Right!

A recent publication contained a notice of a Provincial Cabinet meeting neatly tucked away in the obituary column. Several death notices preceded the announcement and one followed it! We don't know whether it was an omen regarding the present health of the Cabinet, a rather subtle suggestion, or just an error to be chalked up to the printers. —W.I.F.

CHIEF ANALYST TO RETIRE NOW

D. E. Whittaker Leaving Provincial Service After Forty-Three Years

Forty-three years in the provincial civil service, which he joined as a young man of twenty-two years of age in August, 1897, D. E. Whittaker, chief analyst and assayer of the Department of Mines, is retiring now to take a well-earned rest, it was announced yesterday by Hon. W. J. Asselstine. Mr. Whittaker was presented with a handsome silver tray as a tribute from his colleagues in the department, the Minister of Mines making the presentation yesterday.

Mr. Whittaker was appointed a member of the board of examiners for assayers in April, 1908, and from that time on has held the position of secretary of the board.

For the last twenty-two years Mr. Whittaker has been provincial analyst and assayer, fulfilling a wide variety of duties in connection with mining, health, court sampling and other branches of the service. His certificates are known to every municipality and every court in British Columbia, his evidence being accepted as final in a long list of important cases. Municipal water and milk investigations, tests of ore, trials of soil, and once the detection of poison accidentally vended in baking powder, all came within his review.

POPULAR IN SERVICE

With headquarters at Victoria, the provincial analyst occupied part of the original old Legislative Buildings, now arranged as a mines exhibit in the rear of the main Legislative pile. There he worked silently with retorts and chemicals, presided over a growing staff of assistants, and found time to explain to tourists or to the younger student the mysteries of chemical analysis in its many branches. Popular in the civil service, his retirement will leave a gap among those whose service approximated his own.

John B. Adams, assistant chief analyst, will succeed to the post, Mr. Asselstine announced.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

U.S.A. AND THE WAR

Sir,—I have just read a capital article in The Trinidad Guardian of December 31 on "While the Allies Fight for Freedom, America Raises the War Debt Question," which they reprinted from your paper. It was written by A. N. Mouat and I would be glad to know if there is any hope of it being printed as a leaflet? I consider something of the sort is very badly needed.

We Britishers—meaning, of course, all the Empire—know that we are fighting a crusade—a holy war, if ever there was one—against Satanic powers. I don't mean either the German or Russian ordinary people. I mean the power which is actuating their Nazi and Communist leaders—the dictators and their followers.

We want the small nations to stay neutral if the enemy allows them to, but America is a Christian nation and powerful. Surely she should be actively fighting on the side of Christianity and freedom. She should remember the verse (Judges v. 23), "Come ye Meroz, saith the angel of the Lord, curse ye bitterly the inhabitants thereof, because they come not to the help of the Lord, to the help of the Lord against the mighty."

I have lately met a man who has returned here from America and I gather that the people there are far from sympathetic with us. They believe that the news that we get, about the awful atrocities committed by Hitler and Stalin are, to a great extent, merely "British propaganda, that America should certainly stay out of the war. She will then capture the world trade, live in luxury (I read an American article urging this point of view) and supply arms on the "cash-and-carry" basis as long as the contestants have any money left.

Of course we are not in the least purturbed by all this, because "If God be for us, who can be against us?" Our King's message was fine. "I said to a man at the gate of the year, 'give me a light,' and I will tread safely into the unknown.' And he replied, 'Go out into the darkness, and put your hand into the hand of God, and that will be to you better than the light, and safer than the unknown.'"

And so we are stepping out quite confidently into the new year, knowing ultimate victory will be ours but it does hurt to feel that those who are, after all, our kith and kin, speak our language and worship our God, should stand aside and not care what happens, even to the little defenceless nations like Poland, the Finns, etc. They jeered at us last year as cowards after the Munich Treaty, though our leaders honestly believed in Hitler's promises, but now that we are fighting for what they, as well as we, know to be the cause of righteousness, they will stand aside and collect all the money there is to be had and keep comfortably out of any danger.

I am an old woman of nearly seventy-five, and have lived in Europe, Asia and Africa. In the last war my eldest son was at school, but was in France by 1916 (he is now a major at Malta). My two brothers were also in France, and all my people are now doing their bit, whatever it may be, like the rest of the Empire. Certainly this war has drawn us all together in a most wonderful way.

I do want to know if there is any hope of getting that article as a leaflet? I would also like to be allowed to publish it myself, but I am terribly hard hit by the war and cannot. I am the only member of my family in the Western Hemisphere and want to get home.

(MRS.) N. STUART KING.

Welbeck, Tobago, British West Indies, January 3, 1940.

Obituary

MARSH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, yesterday, there passed away at the age of eighty years George Thomas Marsh, of 2542 Graham Street. Born at Canterbury, Kent, England, Mr. Marsh came to Canada twenty-five years ago, coming direct to Victoria. He is survived by his widow, at the residence; two sons, Joseph Edward Marsh, and George Thomas Marsh; one daughter, Mrs. S. Sims, all of Victoria; twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; also several relatives in Kent, England. The remains are resting at Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral will be conducted on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Canon Connell will officiate.

CHARLTON — Word has reached Victoria of the death, at Kamloops Hospital, on Sunday, of Mrs. O. L. Charlton, Celista, B.C., formerly Miss Annie Chapman, of Victoria. She was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., in May, 1876, third daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chapman, and moved with her parents and family to Victoria in 1890. She was closely associated with the early days of Spring Ridge Methodist, now Belmont United Church, and in October, 1899, was married to Mr. Ormond L. Charlton, Ruskin, B.C. Most of her married life was lived in Victoria and Vancouver, finally moving about twelve years ago to Celista. She leaves her husband; one son, Darwin, and one daughter, Mrs. Walter Nelson, in Celista; two other daughters, Mrs. Norman Bennett, Vancouver; Mrs. Fred Henderson, Victoria; twelve grandchildren, and five sisters, Mrs. J. N. Freeman, Cloverdale, B.C.; Mrs. C. B. Dayfoot, Georgetown, Ont.; Mrs. W. C. Cronk, the Misses E. and I. Chapman, and one brother, J. Walton Chapman, Victoria. Another brother, John Chapman, predeceased her in March, 1938. Interment took place at Celista Cemetery on Tuesday.

ETHERINGTON — There passed away in this city on Tuesday, after a lengthy illness, Richard Etherington. Mr. Etherington had been a resident of this city for the past fifty years. He leaves to mourn his passing, one son, of this city. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. James Hood will conduct the services, after which the remains will be laid at rest in the Ross Bay Cemetery. The S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

JOHNSON—The death occurred in this city yesterday of Lucy Ann Johnson, aged ninety-four years. Mrs. Johnson was born in Leek, Stafford, England, but was a pioneer resident of Victoria, being here for sixty-five years. Her husband, Edwin Johnson, predeceased her in October, 1922. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, from where funeral services will be held on Friday at 2 p.m., Rev. J. R. Fyfe officiating. Interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WAUDE—Mrs. Sarah Waude, wife of Edward Waude, died Tuesday evening at the family residence, 161 Robertson Street, aged seventy-one years. She was born in Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for twenty-two years. She leaves her husband, one son, Bertram Waude, 687 Oliver Street, and one daughter, Mrs. F. M. Gauld, Robertson Street; three grandchildren. Funeral services will be conducted at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Alan Gardiner will officiate. Interment will be at Colwood Burial Park.

DALES—Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Waters Dales will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in Sands Mortuary Chapel. Rev. N. J. Crees will officiate and interment will be in the family plot at Ross Bay.

LEASON — Funeral services for Mrs. Eleanor Henrietta Leason took place yesterday afternoon from Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse conducted the service, during which Mrs. S. M. Morton rendered the solo, "In the Garden," and the congregational hymn sung was "Abide With Me." Many sorrowing relatives and friends filled the chapel to capacity. The very large number of beautiful floral offerings, which covered and surrounded the casket, bore testimony to the popularity of Mrs. Leason. The following acted as pallbearers: G. Dunaway, J. W. Leason, R. F. Leason, R. R. Leason, T. P. Leason and Roy Leason. Interment took place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. The reeve and councillors of Oak Bay, the fire chief and a detachment of firemen, who acted as a guard of honor, attended in a body.

HARTLEY—Funeral services for John Reginald Hartley will be held at Christ Church Cathedral on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Lord Bishop of Columbia will conduct the services. Interment will be made in the Colwood Burial Park. McCall Brothers are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

CRAWFORD—There were many friends present at the funeral services held in McCall Brothers' Funeral Home yesterday afternoon for John Crawford. Rev. (Mrs.) E. M. Smiley, of the Victoria Truth Centre, conducted the funeral services, during which the hymn "Still, Still With Thee" was sung. The casket was banked with a profusion of flowers. The following acted as pallbearers: R. S. Brown, A. Martin, J. Dorman, D. S. Cameron, W. C. Ellis and James Elrick. Cremation took place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

HAUGHTON—The funeral of Edward James Haughton, former district superintendent of the radio branch, Department of Transport in Victoria, will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, pastor of First United Church, will officiate. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GILLESPIE — Funeral services over the remains of Alice Josephine Gillespie will take place this afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, at 2 p.m., Rev. Arthur Bleichager officiating. Following the service, the cortege will proceed to the Royal Oak Burial Park for interment.

MARRION—In the presence of a congregation that filled Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel to capacity, Rev. Alan Gardiner conducted funeral services yesterday afternoon over the remains of Thomas James Marrion, pioneer resident of this city. During the services the hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Abide With Me." Among the congregation were representatives from A.O.F. Court Victoria No. 8,930. The entire rostrum of the chapel was banked with beautiful floral tributes. The following acted as pallbearers: G. O. Sands, K. Mills, M. Callister, B. Croft, S. Doran and P. Stronach. At the conclusion of the service a large number of friends followed the funeral coach to Ross Bay Cemetery for committal services and interment in the family plot.

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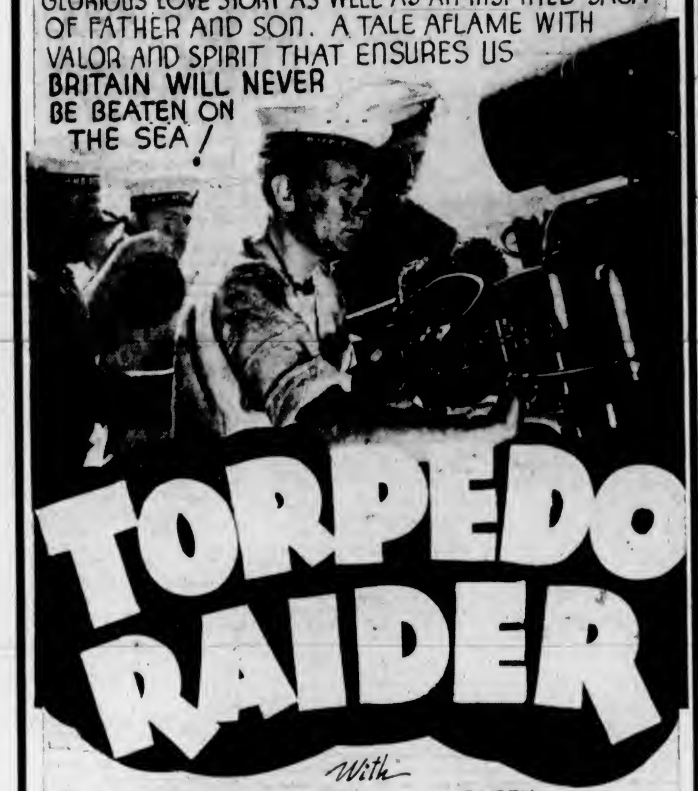

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U.E. LOYALISTS GIVEN CHARTER

Victoria Branch Is Formally Linked With Headquarters In Toronto

An important occasion in the history of the Victoria branch of the United Empire Loyalists' Association was celebrated at a meeting in the Y.W.C.A. Building last night, when F. E. Winslow, president, announced receipt of the charter of the branch, associating it with headquarters in Toronto, where the association was founded. The Victoria branch of the national association came into being fifteen years ago, the inaugural meeting being held in the Legislative Buildings.

Pleasure in the fact that the branch had at last received its charter was expressed by Mr. Winslow in a brief address, in which he referred to the fact that the Empire Loyalists had come to Canada from the United States after the War of Independence—sacrificing, in most cases, nearly everything they possessed—to become the nucleus of the British settlement in Canada. Not all were of British descent; a few were Germans, who were satisfied with the British Crown and preferred to make Canada the land of their adoption.

Following discussion as to the part the association should take in war work, the president and secretary, Mrs. G. S. Ap' John-Yardley, were instructed to apply for registration under the War Charities Act, so that the branch might have authority to take part to raise funds for war activities.

COMFORTS FOR NAVY

It was unanimously agreed that the association's efforts should be directed to the provision of comforts for the crews of one or more of the small naval craft engaged in patrol duty in British Columbia waters, the number of vessels to be decided upon after consultation with the naval authorities.

Fifteen new members were elected at the meeting, as follows: Mrs. V. M. Wells, Miss Ruth M. Wells, Mrs. F. I. Inins, Mrs. Mary E. Doig, Mrs. T. M. Powers Potts, James Forman, Mrs. Hazel E. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. White, Miss Pamela Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Ferris, Mrs. J. N. Gibson, Miss Florence Nash and Miss Ruby C. Nash.

Others present at the meeting were Mrs. May Anderson, Howard Taylor, Colonel and Mrs. T. B. Monk, Miss O. S. H. Ap'John, Mrs. Emily F. Shannon, W. S. Fawcett, C. B. Fisher, Mrs. J. H. Mullard, G. Hamilton Harman, Beaumont Boggs, W. E. Lasee, Miss Queenie Tabor, Miss Nita Hensley, J. H. Tabor, James P. Brown, Major W. G. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ap'John-Yardley, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Mrs. H. D. Brumpton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilson.

NO CHALLENGES FOR TENNIS CUP

SYDNEY, Jan. 31 (CP)—The Australian Tennis Association announced today that no challenges had been received for the Davis Cup. Australia, which took the cup from United States last year, will retain possession of the international tennis trophy until competition is resumed.

Joins the White Sox

CHICAGO, Jan. 31 (AP)—Edwin Weiland, young right-handed pitcher who was one of the ninety-one players declared free agents when Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis upset Detroit Tigers farm system January 14, was signed today by Chicago White Sox of the American Baseball League.

BEAUDIN IS MATCHED

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP)—Ronald (Frenchy) Beaudin, of Vancouver, Western Canada welterweight champion, will meet Joey Bagnato, of Toronto, in a six-round bout in Maple Leaf Gardens next Monday. Promoter Jack Corcoran announced today. Beaudin is training here for the bout, he hopes will lead to a crack at Sammy Luftspring's Dominion welter crown.

WELLS, England (CP)—Without making a speech, Lieut.-Colonel Dennise Boles was returned as Conservative member of Parliament for Wells. Colonel Boles, unopposed in the by-election, was a noted horseman and Eton cricketer.

To Collect for Red Cross

—Photo by Staff Photographer.

After a period of training, this 180-pound St. Bernard dog, given to Mrs. G. C. Bloomfield by a Vancouver breeder, will make his appearance on the streets of Victoria to collect funds for the Red Cross superfluities store, taking the place of Victory, the female St. Bernard, who died recently from an illness.

At the Theatres

ROMANTIC COMEDY BOOKED AT CADET

"Clouds Over Europe" Co-Stars Laurence Olivier and Ralph Richardson

"Clouds Over Europe," which will open today at the Cadet Theatre, is a comedy drama of espionage, as it roars from the front pages. Laurence Olivier and Ralph Richardson are seen in the starring roles, with lovely Valerie Hobson as the feminine interest.

Olivier is seen as an heroic test pilot whose bomber vanishes into nothingness; Richardson is a Scotland Yard sleuth trailing his nation's enemies.

"JAMAICA INN" ON OAK BAY SCREEN

Charles Laughton, Maureen O'Hara And Robert Newton Cast In Screen Play

Few more thrilling chapters exist in British history than the story of the Cornish "wreckers" which are brought to the light in "Jamaica Inn," starring Charles Laughton, and which will open today at the Oak Bay Theatre.

As a cruel and aristocratic country squire, Charles Laughton conspires with a gang of wreckers, bandits who lure ships to be wrecked on the rocky coasts of Cornwall, and shares the profit of their nefarious trade. All goes well until he runs afoul of a pair of romantic youngsters, Maureen O'Hara and Robert Newton, intent on stamping out the wreckers.

Alfred Hitchcock directed "Jamaica Inn," which features Leslie Banks, Emlyn Williams and Marie Ney in the principal supporting roles.

GEORGE O'BRIEN FIGHTS BANDITS

Sent to Prison for Crime He Did Not Commit in "Lawless Valley" at Rio

The conflict between a young settler and a rival rancher who controls the local law is the thematic basis of George O'Brien's current action film, "Lawless Valley," which will open today at the Rio Theatre.

O'Brien is cast as a young homesteader whose property is coveted by Fred Kohler, Sr., a crooked rancher, and his son, played by Fred Kohler, Jr.

When the latter two hold up and rob a stage coach of $30,000, they manage to put the blame on O'Brien and his father, and a dishonest sheriff sends the young man to prison after permitting the boy's father to be murdered in order to destroy his alibi.

ATLAS THEATRE Helen Parrish plays another of her "meanie" roles in Universal's new picture, "First Love," now showing at the Atlas Theatre. Robert Stack, Eugene Pallette and Lewis Howard are in the cast, headed by Deanna Durbin.

CAPITOL THEATRE "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington" is featured at the Capitol Theatre, with Jean Arthur and James Stewart co-starred! The lovable stars of Capra's prize-winning "You Can't Take It With You" are teamed now as an earnest young appointee to the United States Senate, where he becomes entangled with a vicious political machine, and his cynical, Washington-wise, political-weary stenographer.

DOMINION THEATRE Young Bruce Lester, British film idol, plays an army flyer opposite Margaret Lindsay's spy role in Warner Bros.' "British Intelligence," which will end today at the Dominion Theatre. In real life, he's a reserve army flyer.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — Deanna Durbin in "First Love."

Cadet—"Clouds Over Europe," starring Ralph Richardson.

Capitol—"Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," featuring James Stewart.

Dominion — "British Intelligence," featuring Boris Karloff.

Oak Bay — Charles Laughton in "Jamaica Inn."

Plaza—"Torpedo Raider," featuring John Mills.

Rio — "Lawless Valley," starring George O'Brien.

"TORPEDO RAIDER" THRILLING FILM

Powerful Story of Sea Heroics Has Great War as Background—At Plaza Today

"Torpedo Raider," which will open today at the Plaza Theatre, is a G.B. production adapted from a novel by C. S. Forester, who used the war as a background for a tremendous story of sea heroics. With John Mills are featured Betty Balfour and Barry Mackay, both of whom were seen here with Jessie Matthews in "Evergreen."

RADIO STAR WILL HEAD KAPERS CAST

Captain Dobbsie, who has had a wealth of experience in the entertainment world, will be in Victoria to act as master of ceremonies at the "Kiwanis Kapers of 1940" at the Royal Victoria on February 22. Hugh Barrett Dobbs, to give him his correct name, has become best known on the Pacific Coast by means of his radio programme, "Ship of Joy," which has been carried on Western networks for many years and has attracted many listeners. At present he is heard over the air from the Seattle radio station, KOMO, at 8 a.m.

The committee of Kiwanians in charge of this year's programme are arranging a variety show of music, dancing and comedy, and every effort is being put forth to make it a production which will far excell the "Kapers" of 1938 and 1939.

Race Field Reduced for Steeplechase

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP)—The field for the Grand National Steeplechase to be run at Aintree, April 5, was reduced from fifty-seven to forty-nine today when eight owners turned down the weights assigned their horses.

The list of non-acceptors in the first whittling down of the field was headed by Miss Dorothy Paget's Roman Hackle, who had been assigned 164 pounds, only five pounds less than top weight given Royal Mail, the 1937 winner, and Airgead Sios.

The other non-acceptors were Silent Jack, Arran Peaks' Overleaf, London Town, Bally Hopeful, Shaun Peel and Avonian Boy.

WES FERRELL SIGNS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—Brooklyn Dodgers, who drew some jibes recently by signing the veteran Wes Ferrell, and from time to time have taken on some of baseball's oldest men, tonight announced the purchase of the thirty-three-year-old pitcher, Tex Carleton, from Milwaukee, of the American Association.

HEAVY ACCIDENT TOLL

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 31 (AP).—W. H. Cameron, managing director of the National Safety Council, announced yesterday 93,000 persons were killed in United States during 1939 in all types of accidents. In addition, 330,000 others were permanently disabled and 8,500,000 suffered temporary disabling injuries.

CALF GETS TREATMENT

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 30 (AP).—A three-month-old Holstein bull, given oxygen for four days, was reported tonight to have passed the crisis in its fight against pneumonia. The calf, University Vrouka Sir Hengerveld, is considered the most valuable ever produced from the University of Wisconsin herd.

Wins Shield By Defeating Victoria XI

SYDNEY, Jan 31 (CP).—New South Wales regained the Sheffield Shield, lost to South Australia last year, by defeating Victoria by 177 runs here today. The shield is Australia's premier cricket trophy.

In a high-scoring game New South Wales, compiled totals of 309 and 492 runs for five wickets, declared, Victoria replying with 298 and 326.

A. L. Hassett made a great effort to rally the Victorians by scoring 122 runs in each innings. In the first he hit sixteen fours and in the second got the ball to the ropes thirteen times. Sidney Barnes turned in 135 not out for the winning team, and Stanley McCabe, Australian vice-captain, 114.

NORWICH, England (CP)—Lord Playfair, ninety, aide-de-camp to the Canadian Governor-General from 1881 to 1884, died here. He fought in the Turkish army in the 1877 war against Russia. The title is now extinct.

"Bow to the inevitable and pay your taxes with a smile."

"I'd like to do that, but they insist on cash."

Will Officiate at "Kiwanis Kapers"

CAPTAIN DOBBSIE

WHO will be master of ceremonies at the "Kiwanis Kapers of 1940," which will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday evening, February 22, under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber and Mrs. Hamber.

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QUITS PAINTING

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP). — In a copyright story The Toronto Daily Star said today that Arthur Heming, well-known Canadian artist, has announced to friends he will paint no more and at the age of seventy he is preparing to concentrate on another book.

RED CROSS FUND

REGINA, Jan. 31 (CP).—Cash contributions in Saskatchewan to the wartime fund being collected by the Canadian Red Cross Society reached $196,000 today. Money pledged but not collected is not included in the total. Quota set for the province was $125,000.

HOSPITAL WILL BORROW $40,000

Nanaimo Institution Authorizes Directors to Secure Amount for Building

NANAIMO, Jan. 31.—The Nanaimo Hospital Association, at its annual meeting here tonight, with J. J. Ratlef presiding, unanimously approved an amendment to the hospital's by-laws, authorizing the 1940 board of directors to borrow the sum of $40,000 for capital expenditures on hospital property.

Action was taken following an address by Arthur Leighton, who said that the present nurses' home was inadequate, and by building new quarters, large enough to accommodate the increased nursing staff due to the eight-hour day in vogue here, the lower floor could be used for patients.

A modern X-ray machine is being installed at a cost of $3,500. An effort will be made this year to install an inductotherm at a cost of $500.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

President Ratlef stated that all persons, regardless of their financial standing, are admitted to the institution and given the finest treatment available anywhere. He regretted it was sometimes necessary to give accounts to collecting agencies when persons who were in a position to pay for their treatment assumed an indifferent attitude.

He stressed the importance of increased hospitalization for this district and expressed the opinion that the money could be raised by Government assistance, plus a saving of $1,800 a year, paid annually for billeting nurses and maids who could be taken care of on the hospital premises. The financial statement, read by the secretary, W. W. McGirr, showed the deficit for 1939 to be $1,847, net assets $154,452.25. Total administration costs were $72,477.26, available fees $43,641, and Provincial Government grants $18,231.

The meeting passed a vote of confidence in the board of directors, President J. J. Ratlef and Mr. McGirr, secretary. The election of board of directors resulted in I. Pearce, Canon Hitchcox, Arthur Leighton, Joseph Kneen being re-elected, and Frank Cartwright elected for the first term. The board will name this year's chairman. Hon. George Pearson was re-elected honorary president.

NEVER DRANK WATER

PETERSBURG, Ind., Jan. 31 (AP).—Farmer Herman Fulcher boasted that through his adult life he never touched water. To quench his thirst he drank sour wine. He died of pneumonia. He was 100.

City and District

Zoning Board — Appeals will be considered by the zoning board of appeal during a meeting in the City Hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Tools Taken—N. J. Rowe, 1810 Cook Street, reported to police yesterday that a large quantity of shoe heels, rivets and tools had been stolen from his shoe repair shop.

Remodel House — Warren Hilton secured an $8,500 city building permit yesterday to remodel his dwelling at 1715 Rockland Avenue. Patrick Birley is the architect and Leslie Scott the contractor.

Truck Damaged—Nelson Martin, 1321 Government Street, reported to police at 10 o'clock yesterday morning that his truck had been struck and damaged by another machine owned by Thomas Mercer, 1015 Deal Street.

Is Remanded—John Gibson was charged in the city police court yesterday with stealing a cash box containing $8 from the Terminal Cartage, Ltd., at 1244 Wharf Street, on Tuesday. He was remanded until this morning at his own request.

To Give Concert—The Arion Male Voice Choir are giving a concert at Cobble Hill tomorrow evening, for the benefit of the Red Cross Society of that district. Members are requested to be at the Vancouver Island Coach Line depot by 6:15 p.m. on that date.

Coming Today—Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, accompanied by Mrs. Macdonald, is expected here from the Mainland today and may sit with the Court of Appeal while judgments are delivered in three cases. Mr. Justice Macdonald will take up his residence with Mrs. Macdonald at Seacroft, Oak Bay.

Arena Plan—Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan, chairman of the City Council finance committee, will interview Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to ascertain if the Provincial Government is willing to assist the city to secure a civic auditorium and sports arena.

New Duplex — Matthew Lamont was granted a $3,200 city building permit yesterday to construct an eight-room duplex dwelling at 45 Government Street. The building will measure 42 x 26.8 feet, with a hot-water heating plant, fir and oak floors, stucco exterior walls, and garages and woodsheds at the rear.

Attempt to Set Fire—J. R. Bowkett, engineer at the Sidney Roofing & Paper Company, reported to city police last night that someone had attempted to set fire to some lumber in the yard. A bundle of sacking soaked in tar had been placed under a pile of lumber and lighted. No damage was done.

To Address Fellowship — The monthly meeting of the Anglican Men's Fellowship of St. Michael's, Royal Oak and St. Columba, Strawberry Vale, will be held tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the parish hall, Royal Oak. The guest speaker, S. G. Pettit, will speak on "German Nationalism," as the cause of war.

Ten Fined—Seven motorists were each fined $10 in the city police court for exceeding the speed limit. Two were each fined $2.50 for infractions of parking regulations. Another paid a fine of $5 for failing to observe a stop sign. One motorist who pleaded not guilty to a similar charge was remanded until Monday.

Dangerous Driving—A motorist who admitted driving along Government Street in a manner dangerous to the public was fined $25 in the city police court yesterday. Another was fined the same amount for a similar offence on Johnson Street. Evidence was given by Constables J. D. Blackstock and B. Douglass.

To Enter Candidates—At a joint meeting of representatives of the New Democracy Movement from Victoria and Saanich, it was decided to enter candidates in each constituency for the forthcoming Federal election. Further meetings will be held to discuss nominations, etc. All inquiries should be addressed to the secretary, room 224, Pemberton Building.

Ministers on Mainland—Hon. G. S. Wismer, K.C., left for Vancouver yesterday, following Hon. John Hart and Hon. C. S. Leary, who crossed to the Mainland earlier in connection with departmental affairs. The Minister of Public Works spoke at Board of Trade meetings in the Interior yesterday, meeting Chilliwack, Mission and other bodies.

Report Fuel Consumption — During the month of November last year, British Columbia agencies used 4,815,053 gallons of gasoline, or 84,000 gallons less than in the corresponding month of the year previous, reports of the Fuel Control Board showed yesterday. Greater Victoria sales totaled 562,721 gallons, mostly for motoring and industrial purposes.

Attends Memorial Opening—Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir was on the Mainland yesterday, in connection with the presentation of prizes at the opening of the Brock Memorial at the University of British Columbia. Today he will speak at two functions, a luncheon meeting of the Vancouver Board of Trade and a dinner by the Greater Vancouver Health League.

Skull Found—An ancient but well-preserved skull believed to be that of an Indian was found on Tuesday by Roy Ward, 711 Pandora Avenue, and Edward Butt, 480 Superior Street, during excavation operations at the Cameron Lumber Company, Ltd., sawmill. The grim relic came to light three feet under the soil. On top of the skull was a square hole apparently sawed some time after death.

Named President of Army and Navy Unit

—Photo by Cherer.

MAJOR T. R. WHEADON, V.D.

THE 1940 president of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit, No. 12, Wharf Street, who succeeded Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown as head of the branch. Major Wheadon was appointed to office at the annual meeting and election of officers, held recently.

Escapes Injury When Car Catches Fire, Overturns

Captain F. C. Pace, Esquimalt, reported to B.C. Police that his car caught fire and turned over on the Island Highway just north of Palmer's Road, about 10 o'clock on Tuesday night.

Captain Pace, who received only minor bruises and shock after extricating himself from the flaming automobile, told police he was driving on the highway when he noticed the car was on fire. He said he applied his brakes very suddenly, which caused the car to turn over on its side. He was able to get out before the flames reached him.

The car was a total wreck and was still burning when Sergt. G. A. Johnson, of the B.C. Police, reached the scene in response to a call.

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JAPANESE NOT BARRING RIGHTS

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with Soviet Russia would continue to improve.

Arita disclaimed Japanese responsibility for the trade treaty break with the United States and said: "We hope to exert further efforts in the confident hope that Japanese-American relations will be restored to a normal status."

STATUS OF CHINA

Highlights of the speech were:

Concerning China:

"The Japanese Government is doing everything in its power to settle the China affair . . . Our basic policy for settlement is to join forces with a new China which shall be purged of all anti-Japanese and pro-Comintern influence, to unite with her in the common purpose of establishing a new order in East Asia, and to realize neighborly amity, common defence against the Comintern and full economic co-operation."

Concerning third-power rights:

"We are anxious to see the development of China's trade with other powers, and we welcome foreign investments in China as long as they are of a purely economic character."

BRITISH POSITION

Concerning Great Britain:

"Since the beginning of the China affair, the Japanese Government has done all in its power to bring the British Government to a correct appreciation of the reality of the situation . . . It is most unfortunate that on January 21 a British man-o'-war searched the Japanese ship Asama Maru and seized twenty-one of the German passengers on board. In view of the unprecedented fact that this incident occurred in our home waters it is deeply regretted by our Government as well as by the entire nation. Negotiations are now in progress with British authorities, and we are doing our utmost to arrive at a satisfactory settlement."

AMERICAN TRADE

Concerning the United States:

"I firmly believe that with the establishment of the new order, America will come to learn the absence of a desire on our part for either exclusion or monopoly in both economic and commercial fields. The treatyless situation, which deprives trade of stability and makes relations in general difficult, is not desirable for either Japan or America.

"We propose to exert further efforts in the confident hope that Japanese-American relations will be restored to a normal status—that is, on a treaty basis."

FLEETS OF ALLIES PATROLING SEAS

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Here is a table giving the relative strengths of the British Empire, French, and German naval forces at the outbreak of the war:

	B.	F.	G.
Battleships and Cruisers	15	7	2
Pocket Battleships	nil	nil	3
Aircraft Carriers	5	1	nil
(Eight-Inch-Gun) Cruisers	14	7	2
(Six-Inch-Gun) Cruisers	47	11	7
Light Cruisers	nil	32	nil
Destroyers	184	45	56
Submarines	58	59	73

ESTIMATED LOSSES

Losses suffered by the British and German Navies, apart from auxiliary vessels, are

Great Britain: One battleship, one aircraft carrier, five destroyers and four submarines sunk (one submarine and one destroyer were lost through accidents); one battleship, one eight-inch-gun cruiser and one six-inch-gun cruiser damaged.

Germany: One pocket battleship (the scuttled Graf Spee), one six-inch-gun cruiser and more than forty submarines known to have been sunk, one eight-inch-gun cruiser and one six-inch-gun cruiser known to have been severely damaged and perhaps sunk.

These losses do not materially affect the Allied margin of naval superiority, for large additional forces have been added to their navies since the war started.

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The following are lists of herds in the Vancouver Island (South) Cow Testing Association whose averages are for thirty pounds of butter-fat or more for the month of January, 1940:

LARGE HERDS

(Twenty Cows or More)

C. R. Easton, 1,005 pounds milk, 49.8 pounds fat.

G. Austin, 967 pounds milk, 45.1 pounds fat.

E. Burkinshaw, 834 pounds milk, 44.5 pounds fat.

Messrs. G. Rogers & Sons, 1,081 pounds milk, 41.7 pounds fat.

F. Burdge, 890 pounds milk, 39.2 pounds fat.

Messrs. E & T Raper, 1,027 pounds milk, 36.5 pounds fat.

F. L. Kingston, 832 pounds milk, 35.6 pounds fat.

The Homestead Jersey Farm, 691 pounds milk, 32.4 pounds fat.

SMALL HERDS

(One to Twenty Cows)

Miss R. Huntley, 901 pounds milk, 44.2 pounds fat.

G. F. Weir, 864 pounds milk, 43.1 pounds fat.

M. Nissen, 831 pounds milk, 38.3 pounds fat.

A. Glinz, 782 pounds milk, 38.2 pounds fat.

G. Swan, 761 pounds milk, 3 1 pounds fat.

Lt.-Com. G. Windeyer, 745 pounds milk, 34.5 pounds fat.

Messrs. G. Duncan & Son, 807 pounds milk, 34.4 pounds fat.

R. Rendle, 961 pounds milk, 34.3 pounds fat.

E. Welsh, 645 pounds milk, 33.7 pounds fat.

H. C. Rose, 550 pounds milk, 33.1 pounds fat.

IPSWICH, England (CP).—Ronald Harvey—all forty-seven inches of him—is annoyed. The diminutive twenty-year-old page boy has been turned down by all recruiting officers, and the suggests the "little men of Britain get together" on the grievance.

JUST CURIOUS

"When were you born?" demanded the magistrate.

No reply.

"Did you hear what I said? When is your birthday?"

"What do you care?" said the prisoner, sulkily. "You ain't going to give me nothink, are you?"

Announcements

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Linen Shower Will Be Held For Hospital

Plans for the annual linen shower for the Royal Jubilee Hospital were made at the monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary held yesterday afternoon at the Nurses' Home, Mrs. R. J. Jameson, the president, in the chair. The shower will be held on March 8 in the Nurses' Home, with Mrs. J. A. R. Rome as general convener; Mrs. Sutherland Brown in charge of the linen, and Mrs. Guy Ford the tea convener. Final arrangements will be made at the February meeting.

Mrs. P. E. Taylor reported $18 collected in dues. Mrs. Henry Heisterman reported four sewing meetings at which 418 pieces of work were finished during the past two months. Miss Hall and Mrs. Luney had visited the patients in the hospital. Mrs. Longstaff will replace Miss Hall on the visiting committee.

A letter from Miss Mitchell was read, thanking the members for providing Christmas cheer for the patients. She also requested ten dressing gowns and a dozen pairs of slippers, which request was granted.

Weddings

BEECROFT—PALMER

The marriage took place at 9 o'clock yesterday morning in Douglas Street Baptist Church, Rev. F. W. McKinnon officiating, when Iona Arlene, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Enoch Palmer, Moose Jaw, Sask., became the bride of Mr. Frederick Charles Beecroft, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beecroft, 1428 Westall Avenue, Victoria. Mrs. McKinnon played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. H. S. Bruce, and wore a frock of white satin with inserts of lace in the bodice and sleeves, the floor-length skirt graduating into a short train. Her silver embroidered veil was arranged beneath a wreath of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of roses, carnations and narcissi. Miss Verna Jean Palmer was bridesmaid in a pretty frock of blue net over taffeta with a silver bolero and silver accessories, her corsage bouquet and headdress being of pink and white carnations. Mr. Allan Robert Beecroft was best man, and Messrs. Irwin and Roy Beecroft were ushers.

The reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents, where the decorations were carried out in pink and white. The beautifully - decorated wedding cake, made by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Durrant, Saanich, centred the buffet luncheon table. Mrs. Beecroft was dressed in fuschia crepe, with hat en suite and wore a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations.

After a honeymoon on the Island, for which the bride wore a green and rose ensemble with a shoulder bouquet of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Beecroft will make their home at 3351 Cedar Hill Road. The bride's parents were unable to attend the wedding, but other out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Storey, Sidney; Mrs. Webber, Vancouver; Mr. E. Alp, Edmonton, and several from Saanich.

FORSYTH—BRUCE

The marriage took place recently between Zoe Marguerite, younger daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Bruce, Experimental Station, Saanichton, B.C., and Mr. Reginald J. Forsyth, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Forsyth, Barclay Street, Vancouver. The young couple will make their home in Montreal, Quebec.

Rugby Union Plans Dance for March 1

To raise money for the injured players' hospitalization fund, the Victoria Rugby Union will hold a dance on Friday, March 1, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Crystal Garden.

The committee includes Messrs. Wally Stipe, Bob Poyntz, Jack Ruttan, Jack Grogan, Campbell Forbes and Bill Sloan.

ALUMNI CO-ED DANCE TO BE HELD TOMORROW

A co-ed dance will be held by the Victoria High School Alumni tomorrow evening at the Crystal Garden, commencing at 9 o'clock.

As a result of the heavy ticket sale during the past week, a large crowd is expected to attend the association's affair.

Arrangements are being made by William Hole, chairman; Misses Marcia Beach and Messrs. Walter Parker and Donald Hughes.

During the intermission, special floor numbers will be given by pupils of Miss Florence Clough Dancing School.

Leap Year Dance Held at Oak Bay

A leap year dance was held last evening in the Oak Bay Theatre Hall by the Oak Bay Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, when about 250 persons joined in the fun. During the programme the ladies had the privilege of asking men to dance, and many novelty dances added to the enjoyment of the evening. The proceeds from the affair will go towards charitable causes.

The dance was in the form of a cabaret, tables having been arranged round the room. Supper was served, and a four-piece orchestra played the music for dancing from 8:30 p.m. until midnight.

Mrs. James Anderson, the worthy matron, and Mrs. Taylor, associate matron, welcomed the guests. Arrangements were under the convenership of Mrs. S. Rippingale, who was assisted by Mesdames Junget, H. Corbett, C. Giddy, and Mr. James Anderson.

Witty Kitty

The mentally sketchy girl friend has stopped building castles in the air because she fears some unthinking airplane pilot will knock them down.

RED CROSS

Members of the sewing unit which meets at George Jay School, under the auspices of the Red Cross, are reminded by the convener, that the next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 6, at 2 p.m. A full attendance is requested.

Slenderizing Dress Line

—Released by Fashion League.

Among the staunchest followers of the shirtwaist style are women, who, in the simple version photographed above, find a dress that is slenderizing and becoming. The slim-fitting lines of the dress are emphasized by the print which arranges polka dot print in wide stripes. The slim hip-line is achieved by pleats stitched down to well below the hip.

Clubs-Societies

C.C.F. Auxiliary

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary met on Tuesday afternoon at 1626 Fell Street, the president in the chair. Dr. Henrietta Anderson was the guest speaker on the subject, "Humor and Pathos of a Teacher's Life." Dr. Anderson gave interesting and amusing reminiscences of school life in Scotland and England and also described the Jewish schools in the Whitechapel district of London. She was given a hearty vote of thanks by the appreciative audience. The hostess served tea after the business meeting. It was announced that the recent whist party had been a success. The Housewives' League will be incorporated here shortly at the Business and Professional Women's Club rooms, 301 Union Building. A short course in Co-operatives and Credit Unions will be held in the Conservative Club rooms, Campbell Building, on February 15, 16 and 17. The next meeting will be held at 1209 Whittaker Street on February 13 at 2:30 p.m.

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Soroptimist Club

The regular meeting of the Soroptimist Club will be held next Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Colonist board room.

Anglican Young People

ST. JOHN'S

The twenty-first annual banquet of St. John's Branch was held on Tuesday evening in Spencer's tea lounge, and was followed by a dance at the Crystal Garden, continuing until 1 a.m. Canon Chadwick was the toast master, and after the toast to the King, Miss Lucy Huzzey proposed a toast to St. John's Church, responded to by Canon Chadwick. The toast to the A.Y.P.A. was proposed by Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce, to which Donald Patterson replied. Miss Lenora Trickett proposed a toast to the guests, Mr. Kenneth Hincks replying. The guest speaker of the evening was Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, who gave an interesting talk on worship connected with the A.Y.P.A. The next meeting will be a business session on Tuesday, February 6. The debate arranged for February 5 has been postponed. Members have been asked to attend the pre-Lenten rally on February 4 at St. Mary's Church at 3 p.m. There will be corporate Communion service and breakfast on February 4.

Canadian Soldier Wed in England

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP).—An invitation to an English family Christmas party spelled romance for Gunner W. B. Edgett, twenty-nine, Vancouver.

Yesterday he married his host's daughter, Mary Gwendolen Hamer, at Marylebone register office. She is the daughter of Paymaster Lieut.-Commander G. V. M. Hamer, Royal Navy, retired, of Lancaster Court, London.

Gunner Edgett is attached to the Royal Canadian Artillery.

"RIC-A-DAM-DOOS" PROCEEDS

The W.A. to the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry report that approximately $400 resulted as the net proceeds of the entertainment, "Ric-a-Dam-Doos," given recently at the Empire Theatre. This gratifying sum will go towards comforts for the men of the regiment. At a recent meeting of the auxiliary, a special vote of thanks was passed to all who had taken part in the programme and to those, who by their patronage, had made the show such an unqualified success.

Service Held At St. John's

The marriage of Nellie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mertton, 1039 Hillside Avenue, and Corporal Francis George Chamberlain, R.C.O.C., son of Mr. J. G. Chamberlain, Denman Street, and the late Mrs. Chamberlain, was solemnized at 8 o'clock last evening in St. John's Church, Rev. Canon Chadwick officiating. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood between baskets of Spring flowers, bows of white tulle marking the guest pews.

The charming bride was given away by her father, and wore a Princess gown of white satin with a train and long, pointed sleeves. Her floor-length veil fell from a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a white prayer book with streamers showered with gardenias and freesias, her only jewelry being a gold locket, the gift of the groom.

THE ATTENDANTS

The bride's sister, Mrs. Wilfred Haapala, was matron of honor, in a bustle-style frock of rose taffeta with a gathered bodice and short puff sleeves, and trimmed with bows of wine velvet, her tiny doll hat being in the wine shade.

Miss Olive Kilby was bridesmaid, in a bolero frock of rose taffeta with a matching doll hat, and the bride's little niece, Florence Margaret Wigley, was a pretty flower girl, in a Kate Greenaway frock of primrose yellow taffeta, who wore a wreath of flowers in her hair and carried a Victorian posy. The senior attendants carried bouquets of carnations in shades of pink.

Mr. Elmar Whitten was best man, and Messrs. Walter Mertton and Gordon Lyall were ushers. Mr. G. Jennings Burnett presided at the organ, and the soloist was Miss Betty O'Leary, who sang "Because."

AT THE RECEPTION

During the reception, held in the S.O.E. Hall, the bride and groom stood before a pink and white trellis to greet their friends, a buffet supper being served later from a table centred with a four-tiered cake flanked by vases of pink and white carnations and lighted pink tapers. Mrs. Mertton was smartly gowned in a navy blue silk crepe with a matching hat and corsage bouquet of roses and freesias, and receiving with her was Mrs. G. Strawford, in a rose ensemble with a corsage spray of pink carnations.

After a wedding trip on the Mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain will take up residence on Oxford Street.

Among the guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. M. Haapala and Mr. and Mrs. W. Haapala, Chase River, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Gordon, Jordan River. For travelling, the bride wore a brown and rust outfit with a fur-trimmed rust overcoat.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 31 (CP)—J. O. Hyndman, Charlottetown insurance man, was nominated at Conservative convention yesterday as a candidate for one of the two Queens' seats in the Federal general election. The other Conservative candidate is W. Chester S. McClure, nominated at an earlier convention.

MUSICAL ARTS HAVE CONCERT

Piano and Vocal Numbers Compose Programme Given Yesterday

The Victoria Musical Arts Society for their concert yesterday afternoon were specially favored in having the use of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron's home, 1085 Moss Street, which was ideal for a programme of such intimate character. Members gave the event excellent support, the three large rooms being well filled.

Representative pianistic and vocal talent of the city was heard in the pleasing programme, which opened with a piano duo, Phyllis Hick and Rita Nevard playing the sparkling overture music of Offenbach's "Orpheus." This showed excellent preparation, having good co-ordination and spontaneity. Another gifted young pianist, Ursula Hills, demonstrated advanced musicianship in her delightful reading of two Chopin numbers, "Harp Etude" and "Polonaise Brilliant," the facility of execution and good tone being outstanding qualities.

There were four vocalists, the first to be heard being Peggy Walton, who has a mezzo-soprano of unusually fine quality, well controlled and with appealing expressiveness. With Denise Mara as accompanist she sang two exacting Schubert numbers, "Gretchen am Spinade" and "Impatience." Peggy Moore, well known to patrons of the Operatic Society's productions, showed the same ability to please in song, her numbers being Grieg's "A Dream" and Ernest Charles' "Let My Song Fill Your Heart," both highly artistic.

BARITONE SOLOS

Two very pleasing baritones rounded out the programme: Wilfred Demers, who sang with sympathy "None but the Lonely Heart" (Tschaikowsky) and "Pilgrims' Song" (Rachmaninoff). Both he and Captain Sidney Chiverall were outstanding for their clean diction, the latter's numbers, Gounod's "Vulcan's Song" and Leoncavallo's "Mattinata," being marked by refinement of feeling and detail. Mrs. C. C. Warn was accompanist for both baritones.

In the unavoidable absence of the club president, Dudley Wickett, Mrs. E. W. Hetherington acted as chairman, expressing the members' thanks to the hostess, Mrs. Cameron, and expressing regret at her inability to be present, owing to an accident.

Tea was served after the concert, Mrs. Bradshaw being convener, and Mrs. Allon Peebles, Mrs. Reginald Cox and Mrs. Jamie Cameron presiding at the urns. Mrs. F. G. Aldous was at the receipt of custom.

Games Provide Amusements at Alumnae Frolic

Approximately 250 persons attended the successful frolic held last evening at the Nurses' Home of St. Joseph's Hospital by the St. Joseph's Alumnae. There were games of horse racing, darts and housie-housie for which prizes were awarded. The tempting prizes were displayed at the attractively arranged booths, which were in charge of the members.

Bridge and Chinese checkers were played in the lounge, and a buffet supper was served during the evening from a table centred with a bowl of pink tulips. Baskets of tulips and daffodils decorated the rooms and auditorium. The stall of candy found ready purchasers.

Mrs. E. Corbett, the president, was assisted by the following committee in arranging the frolic: Mesdames Gordon Evans, A. Gray, J. Grant, E. Gandy, C. Lewis, and Misses H. Pollock and Leahy.

Y.P.S. NEWS

PARKDALE

A play of outstanding merit, full of human interest and good wholesome humor, will be presented by the Parkdale Young People's Society tonight. It is produced and directed by Miss Catherine Craig, one of the cities outstanding elocutionists. Taking part will be Andy Stewart, Eva Philpott, Jim Stewart, Mrs. Andy Stewart, Miss Catherine Craig, Miss Jean Craig and Margaret Dyke. The play will be preceded by a musical programme with items by: Gil Margison, violinist; Miss C. Denison, soloist; Miss Jewell's pupils, dancing; Miss C. Craig, monologue; Mrs. Baker, soloist; Mr. Shephard, piano accordion. The play and concert will be presented at 8 o'clock in the social hall of the Victoria West United Church, Raynor Avenue. The money raised will be divided between the Parkdale and Victoria West Sunday schools.

L'ALLIANCE FRANCAISE

At a meeting of l'Alliance Française yesterday afternoon, Mrs. M. Little presiding, plans were made for a bridge party on February 16 at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Kathleen Agnew in aid of the French Red Cross. Reservations may be made by telephoning Mrs. T. B. Inglis, E 2010, or Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. H. Butler will have charge of the refreshments, and Miss Alma Russell and Mrs. Bjornafelt, the transportation of tables. The subject of discussion at the meeting was "Czecho-Slovakia," and at the next meeting on Wednesday, February 14, at the Wiltshire Apartments, Harrison Street, "Hungary" will be discussed.

Campaign Plans Are Considered

Plans for a very active campaign in the forthcoming general elections were discussed at a largely-attended meeting of the Saanich Conservative Association last night. Several delegates from the outlying wards attended.

Outlining campaign plans, Percy Mickleburgh, president, stated that F. S. Cunliffe, Conservative candidate for the Nanaimo riding, would address several meetings in the Nanaimo area next week.

Other speakers at the meeting included Mr. O'Toole, R. C. Twining and W. O. Wallace.

According to Culbertson

It is the opinion of most experts that defence play is the ne plus ultra of bridge, and indeed it is a fact that some of the most subtle and brilliant coups can be made against the declarer. The play described in today's hand does not deserve inclusion in this exalted rank, but it does point out the difference between imaginative and wooden defence.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 9 4 3 2
♥ Q 7
♦ Q J 9 8 5
♣ 4 3

WEST
♠ 8 7 6
♥ K J 10 3 2
♦ 10 3 2
♣ A Q

EAST
♠ K 10
♥ 8 6
♦ K 7 6 4
♣ K J 8 6 2

SOUTH
♠ A Q J 5
♥ A 9 5 4
♦ A
♣ 10 9 7 5

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

North's final bid was questionable, but was based on a strong aversion to playing the hand just one short of game.

West chose the eight of spades as the lead least apt to do harm. Declarer's ace captured East's king, and, after careful analysis of the situation, declarer laid down the ace of diamonds. He could not afford to draw trumps, because he did not yet know the lay of certain key cards, nor could he be sure of the trump division itself. At the third trick he led a small heart toward dummy's queen. West hopped up with the king, and correctly returned a heart, to remove dummy's only visible entry.

Declarer now led dummy's diamond queen, intending to a ruffing-finesse through East. But East had been able to draw a shrewd deduction from the manner in which declarer had begun to play the hand, and he saw that it was almost a certainty that South had started with the singleton diamond ace and as now attempting to establish dummy's suit. East knew that if he failed to recover the queen, declarer would not be trapped into a ruff, that he would merely discard. But East knew more than that! He could count that his partner's (West's) ten of diamonds would fall on the third round of the suit, which would automatically establish three remaining diamonds. Thus, if he were to cover the queen and South were to ruff, trumps would be drawn, and, when dummy was re-entered with either a heart ruff or the nine of spades, declarer would have no choice but to lay down the diamond jack, whereupon he would find the suit ready made. Therefore, East determined to give declarer "a guess." He passed the diamond queen, and, as expected, declarer discarded a club. But now declarer was faced with a sheer guess. He could not tell whether to lead a low diamond or the jack. If East had started with three to the king, the former would be necessary, but if four to the king without the ten, the jack was the play.

Declarer cannot be censured for guessing wrong. He led the nine. East naturally ducked, and declarer ruffed. Declarer now attempted to take out dummy's clubs so that the third round could be ruffed, but the defenders led trumps and declarer found himself with one more loser than he had trumps in dummy with which to ruff.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ Q J 9 6
♥ 10
♦ 10 9 5 4
♣ A J 5 4

WEST
♠ 7
♥ A 9 7 6 4 3 2
♦ A 6
♣ 9 7 2

EAST
♠ K 10 8 5 4
♥ K 8 5
♦ 8 7
♣ 8 6 3

SOUTH
♠ A 3 2
♥ Q J
♦ K Q J 3 2
♣ K Q 10

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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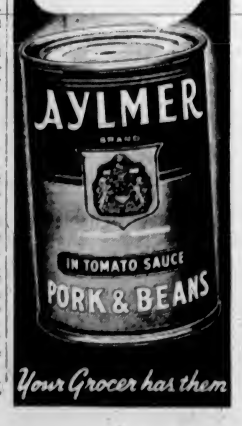

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Social and Personal

Birthday Party Given

Mrs. W. R. Parker was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home on Richmond Road, at a delightful children's party given to celebrate the sixth birthday of her little daughter, Diana. Lovely pink tulips and daffodils looked attractive throughout the house. The afternoon was spent playing games and then the little guests sat down to tea. The table centrepiece was composed of pink tulips in a low bowl, while favors and gay balloons marked each place. An iced birthday cake, with six pink candles, stood before the little guest of honor and was later cut by her. Those present were Pamela and David Birley, Peter Judd, Philip Beattie, Sally Laundy, Janet Henderson, Judy Hinton, Dalla and Stephanie Quainton, Murray McIntosh, Ann Copeman, Anna Frances and Carol Wootton, Peggy Anne Moorhouse, Catherine Goodland, Desmond Hincks, Shelagh Clark, Sheila Hardie, Barbara Rose, Roger Bulley, Ian Kingham, Jack Robertson and Jane Peebles.

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Miscellaneous Shower

The Misses Betty and Patricia Young entertained on Monday evening at their home on Central Saanich Road, at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Alice Styan, whose marriage to Mr. Alec Cadell will take place shortly. The many lovely gifts were presented in a large decorated box. Games and contests were then enjoyed, the winners being Misses Joan Robinson, Lynn Robinson and Joyce Maddock, after which refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. T. B. Oxley. Those present were: Mr. C. L. Styan, Mrs. T. B. Oxley, Mrs. A. Gale, Mrs. D. K. Beaumont, Mrs. W. Sturrock, Mrs. L. Hafer, Mrs. A. Hafer, Mrs. R. Pierce, Mrs. F. Goodwin, Mrs. H. English, Mrs. F. Rowbotham, Mrs. J. J. Young, Mrs. A. Gray, Mrs. E. A. Wickenden. Misses Nellie Styan, M. Trapp, Aileen Book, Barbara Beaumont, Joyce Maddock, Joan Robinson, Lynn Robinson and Sylvia Wright.

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Bridge Tea

The bridge tea held yesterday at the Y.W.C.A. Building by the Local Council of Women was a social as well as a financial success. Dr. Olga Jardine, the general convener, welcomed the bridge players and also the guests who arrived for tea, which was served in the main lounge. Bowls of beautiful Japanese plum blossom gave a Spring-like note to the decorations, while the tea table was centred with a bowl of tulips, narcissi and daffodils. Mrs. H. MacKenzie and Mrs. H. P. Hodges poured tea, and assisting in serving were Mrs. Bertha Parsons, tea convener; Mrs. J. W. Gibson, Mrs. J. T. Williams, Mrs. L. A. Lucas, Miss Savory, Mrs. A. C. Ross (in charge of the silver collection), Miss M. Fleming, Mrs. A. Pinkerton, Miss Betty Christie and Miss Doreen Phethean. Prizes for bridge were won by Mrs. E. M. Pretty, Mrs. J. Narod and Mrs. I. M. Adams.

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Tea for Mrs. Baxandall

Mrs. J. H. McConnell entertained at her home, 345 Linden Avenue, yesterday afternoon, when she was hostess at the tea hour, the affair being arranged in honor of Mrs. S. Baxandall, who is leaving tomorrow for Winnipeg. The guests, who numbered thirty, were members of the Ladies' Victoria Lawn Bowling Club, and during the afternoon, Mrs. McConnell, on behalf of the members, presented the guest of honor with a farewell gift. Mrs. A. S. Huxtable and Mrs. F. M. Urquhart presided at the table, which was covered with a lace cloth and centred with Spring flowers, flanked by yellow tapers. Mrs. Harold Johns, Mrs. J. Keating and Miss D. Dobson assisted in serving.

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Red Cross Tea

A successful tea was held at the home of Mrs. F. H. Davey, 2847 Austin Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon, on behalf of the Gorge Unit of the Red Cross Society. Mrs. Morris ushered the guests into the tea room, where Mrs. Ivor Austin presided at the tea table; pussy willows and evergreens were used as table and room decorations. Mesdames W. D. Frost, T. Girling and F. C. Brown assisted the hostess with serving tea. There was a very good attendance, and the executive of the unit expressed their thanks to all who contributed towards making such an enjoyable afternoon and for the splendid support received.

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Gifts Received

Among the numerous lovely gifts received by Corporal and Mrs. F. G. Chamberlain prior to their marriage last evening, were a handsome silver tea set and tray from the superintendant and staff of the Provincial Department of Education, of which the bridegroom had been a member before joining the R.C.O.C., and a case of flat table silver from the management and staff of Ormond's, Ltd., where the bride, formerly Miss Nellie Merrton, had been employed.

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Hostess at Bridge Party

Miss Dorothy Hill was hostess recently at the home of her parents on Lulie Street, where she entertained for the Brownettes with an evening of bridge. Prizes were won by Mrs. D. Ewing and Miss Elsie Finlayson. Those present were Mesdames R. Wakeham, H. Nancarrow, G. Wenwick, N. Tanner, D. Ewing, and Misses Ruth Whiteoak and Elsie Finlayson.

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Leaves for Halifax

Miss Joan Daphne Carey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carey, Esquimalt Road, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, from where she will travel by bus to Halifax, via Boston. Shortly after her arrival her marriage to Mr. Pete Bouser, R.C.N., will take place in Halifax.

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Making Annual Visit

Mrs. Herbert J. Wilson, Perth, Ont., who annually spends several months in Victoria, arrived in the city yesterday for another holiday here and is registered at the Empress Hotel. A former resident of Victoria, Mrs. Wilson has many friends and acquaintances in the city who will be glad to see her again.

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Tea Hostesses

The Misses Marion and Mary Ogilvie entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at their home on Pemberton Road. Their mother, Mrs. Hunter Ogilvie, presided at the tea table which was attractively centred with a bowl of Spring flowers.

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Visiting Parents

Mrs. Hugh C. Molyneaux, Duncan, arrived yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McConnell, 345 Linden Avenue, until the end of the week, when her husband will join her.

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From Vancouver

Mrs. D. O. Irving has arrived from Vancouver and is the guest of Mrs. Curtis Sampson, "Molton Combe," Newport Avenue.

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In New Home

Lieutenant and Mrs. John Shaneman have moved from Oak Bay and taken up residence in the Lea Oak Apartments, Fort Street.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. H. C. Greer entertained a few friends at luncheon yesterday at her home on Esquimalt Road.

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Entertains Friends

Mrs. Arthur Dixon entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at her home in Uplands.

In New President of W.M.S. Presbyterial

—Photo by Cherer.

MRS. T. G. GRIFFITHS

WHO was elected president of the Victoria Presbyterial of the United Church W.M.S., at the annual meeting, held recently at the First United Church. She succeeds Mrs. George Guy.

DEATH ENDS LONG CAREER

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Merit and the Red Cross Society of Japan.

Sir Herbert was the son of W. de M. Marler, of Montreal, who founded the firm in which both father and son were associated more than thirty years. A notary by profession, Sir Herbert was educated at McGill University here and at the University of British Columbia.

The year after his election to Parliament he was named chairman of the parliamentary committee on soldiers' pensions and civil reestablishment. He served also as chairman of the committee on transportation in the negotiations which resulted in the trade agreement between Canada and the British West Indies in 1925.

ESTEEMED IN HOUSE

Sir Herbert was an impressive figure on the floor of the House of Commons, where he enjoyed the widespread esteem of his colleagues. After his defeat in 1925 he returned to private practice in Montreal.

He found time, however, to participate in matters of public interest and in 1927 was honorary treasurer of the National Diamond Jubilee Committee. His appointment to Tokio followed two years later.

Sir Herbert's diplomatic ability was recognized by the Government of former Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, as well as by the King administration. The former minister's services were retained by Mr. Bennett when he succeeded Mr. King as head of the Government in 1930. Mr. Bennett expressed appreciation then of the manner in which Sir Herbert fulfilled his duties in his first diplomatic appointment.

Sir Herbert's family on his father's side was associated closely with the early life of Canada. He was descended from David Francis de Montmoulin, one of the first Protestant priests sent out to Quebec by the King in 1768. His granddaughter married Leonard Marler, an officer of the British army stationed at Montreal's historic Chateau de Ramezay, used now as a museum. Sir Herbert was a grandson of this officer.

Sir Herbert, whose last public functions were in connection with the Royal visit to the United States last June, is survived by Lady Marler, the former Margaret Beatrice Allan; two sons, Leonard and Howard Marler, and a daughter, Mrs. Cecil North, of Hawlett, Long Island, N.Y.

TOUR CANCELED

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31 (CP).—Co-operative Commonwealth Federation headquarters here said today a speaking tour of the Interior, scheduled this week for Sam Guthrie, Member of the Provincial Legislature for Cowichan-Newcastle, had been canceled. Mr. Guthrie is confined to his home at Ladysmith, with a sprained ankle.

BRIGHT BRIDGE

(Scene: Four golfers after a very good lunch at their golf club filling in the wet afternoon with a rubber at bridge.)

First Golfer: "One no bid."

Second Golfer: "Two no tricks!"

Third Golfer: "Three blind mice!"

Fourth Golfer (disgusted): Dash these modern conventions. I'm going home!"

METROPOLITAN HEARS REPORTS

Many-Sided Activities Shown In Details Presented to Annual Meeting

The many-sided activities of the Metropolitan United Church were in a healthy condition, in most cases showing an increase in membership and interest, it was revealed by reports submitted at the annual congregational meeting held last night, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, pastor of the church, presiding.

An increase in membership of forty-six was noted, bringing the number on the roll of the church to round 1,000, and it was pointed out that, in addition to meeting all local obligations, approximately $6,000 was raised for benevolent purposes, including missions.

A notable increase in activity was reported for the Young People's Society, which had done some very fine social service work during the year. Equal success attended the efforts of the Women's Association, which had raised funds to pay for the installation of the bells set in place last year.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

The board of stewards reported that, during the past four years, nearly $15,000 had been spent in local improvements, all of which had been met except the amount of $2,500, which it was hoped would be undertaken this year.

It was reported that a war service unit, with Mr. Gerald Murphy as secretary, had been formed, which had already done considerable work, and was co-operating with the Red Cross Society. Extensive sick visiting with flowers was undertaken by the Flower Guild, which was responsible for the decoration of the church each Sunday, Mrs. M. R. Cullum, president, reported.

Other reports, each of them showing progress and much work accomplished, were submitted by the Sunday school, the envelope committee, the choir, the Women's Missionary Society, the Evening Auxiliary to the W.M.S. and the Mission Circle.

PRAYER TRIBUTE

A prayer tribute was paid to the memory of those members of the congregation who had died during the year, and the board of trustees made special mention of the late Arthur Lee, secretary of the board from 1902 until his death last Summer.

A. J. Daniels expressed the thanks and appreciation of the congregation to Mr. Whitehouse for his effective and efficient ministry during the past year, and voiced its confidence in his continuing pastorate.

Special votes of thanks were accorded Frank Tupman, choir conductor; Edward Parsons, organist; A. J. Daniels, Sunday schools superintendent; Miss Joyce Dickson, envelope secretary; J. Kent, church officer; E. W. Whittington, secretary of the board, and D. M. McIver, roll clerk. Mr. Daniels presented Miss Elsie Harte with a car robe, in appreciation of her devoted service to the church over a long period of years.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Officers elected were: Board of stewards, H. Currie, A. Curtis, A. J. Dicker, H. Douglas, Dr. J. E. Gee, H. O. English, J. O. Welch, H. J. Pendray and C. F. Wharton; board of session, Mrs. A. Lee, G. D. Christie, William Crouch, T. Carey, E. Colbeck, A. J. Daniels, C. H. Williams and Rev. D. Scott; board of trustees, E. Watkins, T. Watkins and B. C. Bracewell.

In his message to the congregation, Mr. Whitehouse urged them to "rededicate ourselves to God and His righteous cause and to summon ourselves afresh to steadfastness in every good work to do His will."

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served and a brief musical programme enjoyed, contributing artists being Mrs. Jack Townsend, H. L. Harmsworth, J. Oakman, Frank Tupman and Jack Townsend.

COMMITTED TO OIL DRILLING

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The contractors undertake to provide casing, production piping and cementing in connection with the initial bore. The site of the well will be at Commotion Creek, a tributary of the Pine River, north of Moberly Lake. The Province has begun work already on plans to complete a thirty-mile road into the site, and to arrange for ferry services across the Pine River. Later in the Spring it will build the camp required, and supervise the actual operation of drilling with technical staffs under the Provincial Mines Department.

Funds for the work are to come out of an appropriation of $200,000 voted by the British Columbia Legislature at its last session.

BAN ON COMMUNISTS

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Jan. 31 (CP-Reuter's).—The City Council of Christchurch has decided by ten votes to four to issue no further permits for Pacifist or Communist meetings. The decision was in line with the New Zealand Government's policy.

INJURED IN BLAST

SASKATOON, Jan. 31 (CP).—Gustave Tempel, thirty-six, was critically injured in an explosion at an industrial plant here today.

He was varnishing the inside of a steel beer storage tank when gas or fumes apparently ignited and caused the blast.

DIES AT HAMILTON

HAMILTON, Jan. 31 (CP).—Mrs. Agnes H. F. Allan, fifty-two, widow of Rev. William Allan, of Toronto, who was lost when the Athenia was torpedoed at the start of the second Great War, died here Monday while visting friends. Andrew Allan, of Vancouver, is a son.

18,000 EXECUTED

PARIS, Jan. 31 (AP).—A White Paper issued in Paris by the Polish Government in exile reports the Germans have executed 18,000 Poles of all classes since the occupation of Poland.

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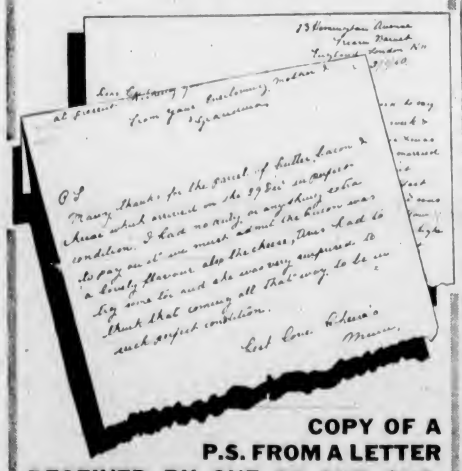

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Balsam of Aniseed, 50c size 25c
Syrup of Figs, 50c size 25c
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Aylmer Golden Wax Cut Beans, 16-oz. tins ..... 3 for 29c
Turner's Cut Green Beans, 17-oz. tins ..... 3 for 31c
Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, 17-oz. tins ..... 3 for 29c
Green Giant Tomato Juice, 14½-oz. tin 5c
Campbell's Tomato Soup ..... 3 tins 27c
Well-O, Assorted flavors ..... 3 pkts. 19c
Lynn Valley Apricots, 17-oz. tins ..... 2 for 25c
Lynn Valley Peaches, 2's, spced ..... 2 tins 29c
Empress Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin 54c
Royal City Loganberries, 17-oz. tins ..... 2 for 25c
Saanich Bartlett Pears, 2's spced ..... 2 tins 29c
Birks Pineapple Sliced, Cubed and Crushed, at ..... 2 tins 25c
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Large doz. 30c, 3 doz. 79c, ½ Case 1.85
Sunkist Lemons, doz. 20c
No. 1 O.K. Onions ..... 8 lbs. 25c
Cape Cod Cranberries, Last call, per lb. 23c
Ripe Bananas ..... 3 lbs. 27c
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Turnips or Carrots ..... 10 lbs. 25c

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Royal City Pork and Beans, 15-oz. tins ..... 3 for 25c
Bright's Tomato Juice, 25½-oz. tin 10c
Tropic Gold Grapefruit Juice. For a delicious refresher; 13-oz. tins ..... 3 for 27c
King Citrus Grapefruit Juice, 48-oz. tin 25c
Sunsweet Tenderized Prunes, Large, 2-lb. packet 29c
Birks Tuna Fish. For a salad or Sandwich, ½'s, per tin 20c

Royal Crown Soap. For a whiter wash 5 bars 23c
Royal Crown Cleanser per carton 5c
Royal Crown Ammonia Powder, pkt. 10c
Ivory Soap, Medium, 4 bars 29c
Oxydol, Large packet 23c
Giant packet 67c
Shredded Wheat Biscuits, pkt. 11c
Grape-Nuts, per pkt. 15c

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½'s, per tin 21c
Tiger Salmon, ½'s, per tin 16c
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Sunflower Salmon, ½'s, per tin 9c

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Round Shoulder Roasts, Really economical, per lb. 18c
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H B C All Pork Sausage, per lb. 25c
Medium Cheese, Fine flavored, per lb. 28c
Mapleleaf Oysters, A delicacy, ½ pint 25c
H B C Virginia Baked Ham, With a flavor that is different, per lb. 70c
Rump Roast Beef, 1st cut, lean and tender, per lb. 25c
Shoulder Roast Pork, Serve with apple sauce, per lb. 24c
Breasts Lamb, Stuff and roast, per lb. 14c
Seal of Quality Side Bacon, For an excellent breakfast, per lb. 38c
Eastern Finnan Haddies, For a variation in your breakfast menu, per lb. 20c
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Railroad Executive Is Optimistic Over Season's Prospects

Chairman S. J. Hungerford, of Canadian National, Visits Victoria in Course of Cross-Country Inspection—Trans-Canada Air-Lines Popular

In the course of a cross-Canada inspection tour, S. J. Hungerford, chairman and president of Canadian National Railways and president of Trans-Canada Air Lines, came to Victoria yesterday morning. Mr. Hungerford, genial and looking fit although probably a bit tired, was accompanied by B. L. Daly, Montreal; R. J. Moffat, Bradwell, Saskatchewan, both directors of the National road, and Bruce Boreham, publicity representative. W. R. Devinish, general manager of Western Lines, Winnipeg, traveled with the party to Vancouver, but did not come to the Island.

"There is really no significance in our visit to the West Coast at the present time," Mr. Hungerford, speaking for himself and accompanying directors, told newspapermen shortly after the arrival of the party at the Empress Hotel. "The usual practice has been to make a tour of the country in the late Summer for the purpose of determining the prospects for Winter traffic; but with the Spring and early Summer rail business already giving promise of increased demands on our rolling stock, we thought this would be an opportune time to check up on the many factors involved.

MORE EMPLOYMENT

"Already the increase in rail traffic has meant employment of more help. Naturally the more business the railways do, the greater the opportunity for putting men back to work and on a full-time week. Operating on a forty-hour week for some time, Canadian National is near normal again, with the locomotive repair shops on a forty-four-hour week. We've found business consistently good in all parts of Canada, and while the war is undoubtedly stimulating it to some extent, there is still ample evidence that it is not altogether due to this particular factor."

Prospects for a big tourist year for Canada are exceedingly bright, the railway president indicated in a reply to a question which is of some considerable concern to Canadians and particularly Coast British Columbians. All the agencies of Government, the railways and the tourist bureaus are making sustained efforts to counteract the whispering propaganda which is going on in the United States just now and evidently aimed at keeping tourists away from Canada; but at the same time Mr. Hungerford felt it might react and make people curious to see how a country at war really comported itself. His company anticipated a good Alaska tour business, while Jasper Park Lodge was already ahead of former years in bookings for the 1940 season.

Asked about the possibility of Canadian railways relieving the lumber situation on the Pacific Coast, Chairman Hungerford said the Canadian National was prepared to move a share of it at a reasonable rate; but lumber movement in large quantities by rail has a variety of angles to be considered, while the whole situation is still a trifle obscure, he added.

PLEASED WITH RESPONSE

Pleased with the response of Canadians to the flying facilities provided for fast travel, expeditious dispatch of mails and express by Trans-Canada Air Lines, Mr. Hungerford was particularly optimistic and happy in replying to questions concerning the air company, of which he is president. Because of the support air-minded Canadians had already given the trans-Canada service, it is planned to inaugurate a double-daily schedule between Vancouver and Montreal before long. Mr. Hungerford could not say just when it would start, but believed not later than late Spring.

While Mr. Hungerford and his accompanying directors will look over Canadian National holdings while here, and may pay Port Alberni a visit before commencing the eastward swing, the president of the road said they were in Victoria primarily for a rest and had no schedule. They intended to remain for several days and would indulge in a little golf on local links, the rail chief admitting he "could get around" even if he couldn't break many pars.

To the ever-recurring question which tourist-minded Victoria newsmen ask railway executives, particularly railway presidents, Mr. Hungerford had an answer ready, as he looked out on the green, sun-bathed lawns fronting the hotel. "I must admit," he said, "the weather looks very nice right now; but I'm not going to say much about your Winter climate until I know more about it. You may ask me the same question when we're leaving. Then, who knows."

CHARLOTTE ON TRIANGLE RUN

Princesses Marguerite, Kathleen and Mary Will Undergo Regular Overhaul

Taking the Ss. Princess Marguerite's run to Seattle this afternoon at 4:30, the Ss. Princess Charlotte will continue in service for some little time. In the meantime, the Marguerite will replace the Ss. Princess Kathleen, taking her sailing from Victoria at 1:55 p.m., Friday, for Vancouver. The Kathleen will then undergo overhaul.

Captain R. W. McMurray, manager of the British Columbia Coast Service, also announced yesterday that the Ss. Princess Norah will take the Ss. Princess Mary's route on the Gulf Islands, Vancouver-Powell River run, the Mary to undergo overhaul. Replacing the Ss. Princess Norah on the Alaska route, the Ss. Princess Louise will sail from Vancouver, February 9, for Skagway.

FINNISH MARINE

An increasing proportion of the foreign trade of Finland has been carried in vessels of national registry. During 1938 vessels carrying the flag of Finland carried 41.3 per cent of her seaborne trade. This was an advance over 37.9 per cent of the previous year. At the end of 1938 the country's merchant marine comprised 860 vessels of 379,000 tons net. Export from the country are largely bulk cargoes, consisting of such merchandise as cellulose, newsprint, timber and copper.

CALIFORNIA BOUND

Alexander McDermott, manager of the Ocean Stevedoring Company, left last evening for California, where he will spend some time on holiday.

He—"Honey, your husband and I are going to fight it out at dawn."

She—"Good Heavens! Shooting irons?"

He—"Sure. Driver, mashie and putter."

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy, south, light, 30.05, 54, moderate swell.
LENNARD ISLAND—Part cloudy, calm, 30.00, moderate swell.
PACHENA—Part cloudy, southeast, light, 30.01, 49, moderate swell.
CARMANAH — Overcast, east, light, 29.95, moderate swell.
CAPE BEALE Overcast, southeast, light, 30.00, moderate swell.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.55 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 3.10 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 1.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 9.25 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m., Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atravida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday), at 9.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, for Vancouver at 7.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.; Saturday only, 7.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Sunday only, 9.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 1.20 p.m. and 8.20 p.m.; Saturday only, 1.20 and 8.20 p.m.; Sunday only, 1.20 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Black Ball Ferry steamer will leave Sidney for Anacortes daily at 3 p.m.; Black Ball Ferry steamer will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 7 a.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—The Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 3 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m.; Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay at 9.20 a.m., 10.20 a.m., 2.20 p.m., 3.20 p.m., 4.20 p.m., 5.20 p.m. Ms. Cascade will make one additional trip on Sundays and Mondays only, leaving Brentwood at 11 a.m. and Mill Bay at 11.30 a.m.

Is Appointed to Island Lines

E. LAIT

NOW acting transportation Assistant, Canadian National Railways, Victoria, in charge of Vancouver Island lines, Mr. Lait has for the past ten years been assistant superintendent of the railway's Okanagan subdivision and yardmaster at Kamloops. He joined the company at Winnipeg in 1904, and brings a wealth of railway experience to his new post.

President's Party Rests in Victoria

In the course of a cross-Canada inspection tour, S. J. Hungerford, chairman and president of Canadian National Railways and president of Trans-Canada Air Lines, accompanied by two directors of the National road, arrived in Victoria yesterday morning "for a rest." They will be here for several days. Pictured in the president's suite, Empress Hotel, B. L. Daly, Montreal, is seated left, with President Hungerford, centre, and R. F. Moffat, Bradwill, Sask., right.

NEED EXPERTS FOR TRAINING

Special Permission Made for U.S. Flyers to Serve In R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA, Jan. 31 (CP).—A staff of 40,000 is being assembled under the British Commonwealth air training plan to man air schools across the Dominion, and probably 10,000 will be flying instructors.

Already hundreds of competent flyers have been enlisted from flying schools and commercial companies to assist the regular Royal Canadian Air Force instructors in teaching young Canadians to handle a military plane, but it has been anticipated that some American aviators also would be brought to Canada under the training plan.

Special provision has been made to allow Americans to serve with the R.C.A.F., and the necessary qualification of being a British subject to serve with the Canadian Active Service Force does not apply to the air force.

It was reported in New York today that British agents are recruiting thirty-five American aviators for the air training plan, and it was indicated here this number might be increased as the training progresses.

HOW MUCH WOULD YOU GIVE TO RELIEVE PILE AGONY?

Too May Make This Simple Test AT OUR EXPENSE If It Fails to Help You

Many pile sufferers reach the point where they say "I'd give a hundred dollars to be rid of my pile torture." Fortunately for these people no such amount is needed, because we offer you this simple test at OUR RISK!

Your local druggist, The Modern Pharmacy or Cunningham Drug Stores, will furnish you with a package of Hem-Roid (a full 30 days' treatment) for not more than $1.25, perhaps even less. Use this Hem-Roid as directed and if you are not completely satisfied with the results you get, so get your money back. We take all the risk.

A few days use of Hem-Roid will relieve rectal spasm, ease pain and aching, reduce burning inflammation, promote healing of the raw, sore membranes, and give you delightful freedom from the misery of this annoying ailment. Many Canadian friends have written us of the really fine results they have had with Hem-Roid. It must be good because so many people like it and like what it does for them.

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ALMOST CERTAIN TO BE TARGETS

Secretary of U.S. Navy Pleads With Congress Not to Slash Fleet Expansion Programme

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP).—Secretary of the Navy Charles Edison, pleading with Congress not to slash the United States Navy's $1,300,000,000 fleet expansion programme, warned today that unless the United States is strong, its interests, liberties and wealth are "almost certain to be targets" of aggression.

In a bristling defence of the full programme, the Secretary told the House of Representatives naval committee that the 1940 international situation had convinced the navy it should begin building "as promptly and as fast and in as great volume as practicable."

It appeared, however, that the committee is bent on changing the $1,300,000,000, six-year programme to a two-year plan totaling less than $750,000,000.

Chairman Carl Vinson told newsmen the committee would begin final consideration of the two-year building programme tomorrow—providing for about twenty-one combatant ships instead of seventy-seven as originally proposed. Vinson said, however, that restriction of the programme to two years actually would not mean a curtailment.

Ship First Plane Built in Canada Home to Britain

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP). — The first military airplane for the British Government to be built and tested in Canada has been shipped to Great Britain, according to an announcement by President Victor M. Drury, of the Canadian Car & Foundry Company, Montreal. The machine was built at the company's Fort William plant and is a powerful "Hurricane."

Mr. Drury told the annual meeting of shareholders yesterday that work will proceed at full speed now for the filling of an order given by Britain for this type of plane. Extent of the order and its monetary value were not disclosed.

"FEBRUARY"—IT MEANS "PURITY"

The trees stand wistful in the square,
Wearing a half-expectant air:
The sky is a slender silver bell
That waits to sound the knell
Of Winter.

—Anne Mary Lawler.

February, shortest month of the year, therefore contains less time for mischief, could this thought have been in the minds of the Romans when they named it?

At any rate, deriving from the Latin verb februare to purify, February means purification or purity.

Here was a virtue the Romans observed on February 15 by the celebration of the Festival of Purification; in the course of it a goat would be killed and skinned, the priests would take a strip of the hide, and, with it, circulate through the Palitinate, slapping the upturned palms of the many women who were there foregathered—the ceremonial being deemed conducive to fecundity and safe delivery.

February was not a subdivision of the early Roman calendar; it was added to it by Numa Pompilius, legendary King of Rome and founder of its religious institutions.

Numa made up the month of February and placed it immediately after December; then he manufactured the month of January, which he constituted the beginning of the year and put before March, this order prevailing until the year 453.

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PLANE WRECKED BEYOND REPAIR

One Person Injured Slightly When White Pass Machine Crashes

WHITEHORSE, Y.T., Jan. 31 (CP).—Officials of the White Pass & Yukon Route Airways said today only one person was injured when a tri-motored plane owned by the company crashed yesterday while landing at Carcross, Y.T.

Mrs. John Garrett suffered a slight cut on her face. Three other passengers escaped injury, as did Pilot Vern Bookwalter and Co-pilot Merritt Boyle.

Company officials said a strong side wind carried the plane across the field until it smashed into a small building and was wrecked beyond repair.

The passengers had been flown in from Skagway, Alaska, where they arrived Tuesday morning on the coastal steamship Princess Norah. Besides Mrs. Garrett, there were Constable Charles Bennett, of the Provincial Police; Mrs. Bennett, and Ian McFarland.

A Northern Airways plane took them on to Atlin, B.C.

First Negro—"What fo' dat doctah comin' outa yoah house?"

Second Negro—"Ah dunno, but ah think ah's gotta inkling."

Kidney Acids Rob Your Rest

Many people never seem to get a good night's rest. They turn and toss—lie awake and count sheep. Often they blame it on "nerves" when it may be their kidneys. Healthy kidneys filter poisons from the blood. If they are faulty and fail, poisons stay in the system and sleeplessness, headache, backache often follow. If you don't sleep well, try Dodd's Kidney Pills—for half a century the favorite remedy.

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10.00 A.M.		10.30 A.M.
2.00 P.M.		2.30 P.M.
3.00 P.M.		3.30 P.M.
4.00 P.M.		4.30 P.M.
5.00 P.M.		5.30 P.M.

Additional on Sundays and Mondays
11.00 A.M. 11.30 A.M.

SALTSPRING ISLAND FERRY

DAILY SAILINGS
DAILY EXCEPT WEDNESDAYS

Lv. Fulford Harbor	Lv. Swartz Bay
8.15 A.M.	9.30 A.M.
4.00 P.M.	5.00 P.M.

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Automobiles (including driver) ..... 75c to $1.50
Passengers 25c
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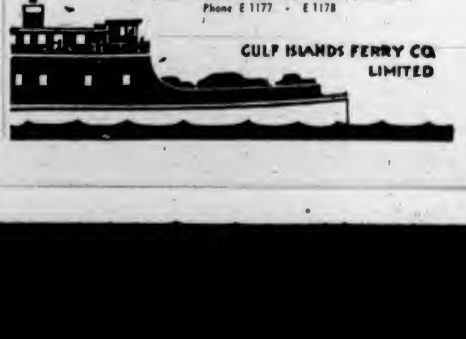

GULF ISLANDS FERRY CO. LIMITED

Rock Miner Is Killed by Fall At Surf Inlet

Death from head injuries sustained in a sudden fall of rock overtook William Scott, Vancouver, while working at a mine at Surf Inlet, headquarters of the Provincial Police were advised yesterday. Removed by companions, Scott was beyond aid and succumbed early on Monday morning. His widow survives him at Vancouver.

BUTTER UPON WATERS

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP).—Residents of a Southwest Scottish town laughed at Britain's butter ration of eight ounces a week as they salvaged tons of butter in baskets and wheelbarrows from the beach where the sea cast up the cargo of a lost ship.

FEBRUARY Furniture Sales

A LIBERAL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE ON YOUR OLD FURNITURE

Here . . . throughout our store are the greatest furniture values we have ever offered. In the face of rising trends we have cut prices to a fraction of their true level, making it a store-wide clearance.

EASY TERMS AT SALE PRICES

Chesterfield Suites

3-PIECE SUITES in plain tapestry with figured seat tops. February Sale $65.00

3-PIECE MODERN SUITES, covered in heavy tapestry combinations. February Sale $75.00

3-PIECE MODERN SUITES, covered in heavy velours. A smart design, built for lasting comfort. February Sale $98.50
$9.85 Cash - $9.85 Per Month

3-PIECE SUITES, covered in heavy silk velours. New-style welted arm, large fan-back chair. A new, smart design in a quality suite. 3-Piece Suite $115.00
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Many Other Suites in a Large Range of Covers and Designs—All Bargains at Present Sale Prices . . . Easy Terms, With No Interest or Carrying Charges

10-PIECE LIVING-ROOM GROUP

Your Living-Room Furnished for Only $79.50

Group Consists of:

3-Piece Chesterfield Suite Covered in Tapestry Combinations
1 Walnut Chesterfield Table
1 Walnut-Finished End Table
1 Bridge Lamp (Complete With Shade)
1 Smoking Stand
2 Silk Cushions
1 Tapestry Footstool
COMPLETE FOR $79.50

$7.95 Cash - $7.95 Per Month - No Interest or Carrying Charges

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3-Piece Modern Chesterfield Suite in Heavy Tapestry Combinations

1 Walnut-Finished Chesterfield Table
1 Walnut-Finished End Table
1 Indirect Bridge Lamp Complete
1 Smoking Stand
1 Vase Table Lamp
1 Satin Cushion
1 Tapestry Footstool
COMPLETE GROUP FOR $89.50

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Bedroom Suites

4-PIECE ROUND MIRROR SUITE—A well proportioned Eastern hardwood suite, finished in light walnut and lined. Panel Bed, Chiffonier, Round Mirror Vanity and Upholstered Bench. February Sale Price $59.50
$5.95 Cash - $5.95 Per Month

4-PIECE SUITE in beautiful matched walnut. Consisting of Double Bed, Chiffonier, Vanity with British Plate Glass Mirror and Upholstered Bench. February Sale Price $69.50
$6.95 Cash - $6.95 Per Month

4-PIECE ROUND MIRROR SUITE—A smart matched walnut suite with a 5-Drawer Vanity and Round British Plate Glass Mirror. February Sale Price, 4 pieces $75.00
$7.50 Down - $7.50 Per Month

4-PIECE BLEACHED WALNUT SUITE—A large size suite in two-toned bleach walnut. February Sale Price, 4 pieces $85.00
$8.50 Down - $8.50 Per Month

Cogswell Chairs

A Luxurious, Comfortable Chair in a choice of hard-wearing tapestry or heavy velour covers $29.50

A Large Range of Solid Walnut Occasional Chairs on Sale during February from $9.90

Coffee Table

DUNCAN PHYFE COFFEE TABLE—Solid walnut base with beautiful burl-walnut top, brass toes. As illustrated $9.95

DINETTE SUITES

No Interest or Carrying Charges

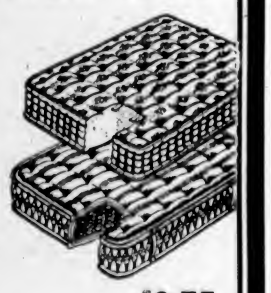
6-PIECE SUITES—Buffet with glass china section in centre, Extension Table and 4 Leatherette-Covered Chairs. Choice of ivory or natural finishes. 6 Pieces $49.50
$5.00 Cash - $5.00 Month

6-PIECE MATCHED WALNUT SUITE—A beautiful combination walnut suite, consisting of Buffet, Extension Table and 4 Leatherette-Covered Chairs. February Sale Price, 6 Pieces $69.50
$6.95 Down - $6.95 Month

Spring-Filled Mattresses

COMFORTABLE SPRING-FILLED MATTRESSES in strong covering, with the famous Natmar Spring Unit. All standard sizes. February Sale $13.95

"GETMOREST" SPRING-FILLED MATTRESSES—Supreme in comfort and quality. A mattress really made for years of lasting comfort. Covered in heavy damask, full fibre sisal pad between springs and felt. One side with layer of lamb's wool on top for Winter use. All sizes $29.50



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Tri-Lite Lamps

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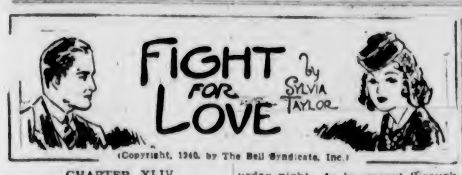

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CHAPTER XLIV

Milton had a luncheon engagement and a dinner party for Saturday night. As he passed through her office, he said hastily, "Goodbye, Star! Be good."

So then he did not intend to see her over the week-end either? Star's heart plunged like a rapidly descending elevator making no stops. How could he treat her like this? What had happened? What had Jennifer said in that letter which had arrived a week ago? Would Jennifer have nerve enough to tell him of Star's threat without admitting the reason for it?

Never had Star felt so hurt as she did that night. She longed then for diversion of any kind. If only Clifford Payne or Bruce Donovan would ask her for a date. But they were not even present at the boarding-house table that evening. Only those who habitually had no dates sat down to the table on Saturdays. Star joined them, ignoring their surprise.

"Well," one of the women commented, "This is unusual for you, isn't it?"

Star smiled and answered vaguely. Later she decided to call upon Mamie but when she reached the apartment her mother was out. Everyone in the city seemed to have something to do but Star. She went back to her room and to bed, but not to sleep. Something had spoiled her relationship with Milton. A wall had suddenly sprung up between them.

Why?

"At least he might try to explain it to me," Star sighed.

Although it was late before she slept, she was awake early the following morning, too nervous to remain in bed, she rose and dressed. Suddenly she knew she was going to the yacht harbor. She had to go. He might not be there. Someone else might be with him, in which case she would not stop. But she had to know whether he was deliberately avoiding her.

Ten o'clock found her swinging past the long lines of yachts and cruisers snugly tucked in their berths. Her eyes outrunning her feet picked out the Adventuress. No one was visible and Star's heart sank but the lure the small craft had for her pulled her like a magnet. At the next moment Milton came on deck and saw her.

"Why, Star," he cried, "what are you doing down here?"

He did not sound annoyed, only surprised as he gave her his hand and led the way into the cabin.

"It was such a nice day I couldn't resist the temptation," she began, trying to be casual and failing as she saw that his face had become suddenly grim.

"What's the matter?" Star pleaded, unable to bear it any longer. "Please tell me."

The words seemed to be forced from him.

"Can't you guess?"

She shook her head.

"Maybe you are just tired of seeing me so often."

"I could never be tired of you!" he cried.

Her blue eyes, shining with surprise and delight, met his.

"Then why did you stop?"

"I had to stop. It was all right as long as we didn't care—but now . . ."

"You mean that because we do care it has to end?"

He took her hands and his voice was very gentle as he said, "I'm married, Star, and I intend to remain that way. I've nothing whatever to offer you."

"It's all my fault," he continued when she did not speak. "I should have thought of this sooner . . ."

(To Be Continued)

Crippling Rheumatism

Rheumatism leaves in its train distorted joints, crooked limbs, crippled hands, and the intense pain is almost unendurable.

In the beginning rheumatism is often due to dyspepsia or indigestion, for if the digestive organs did their duty there would not be any poisonous uric acid in the blood to sow the seeds of rheumatism.

Burdock Blood Bitters invigorates the system, and helps to eradicate the uric acid from the blood which is the cause of the inflammation and pain.

Give B.B.B. a chance to help you rid your system of rheumatism.

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Mothers, follow this lady's example and use Buckley's Mixture when any member of your family has a cough, cold, grippe, bronchitis or whooping cough. She says:—"Last night my son, aged 11, was coughing terribly and could not get to sleep. I gave him a dose of Buckley's Mixture with honey and he slept the night through. This morning his cough is quite loose."—Mrs. B. Jones, Verdun, P.Q. Your experience will be just as satisfactory. Buckley's Mixture is the standby in 3 out of 5 Canadian homes. It eases the cough almost instantly, softens phlegm, soothes raw air passages, helps correct over-acidity—relieves you of coughs and colds in record time. 74

OVER 10 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD!

BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

Aunt Kate—When I was younger I could have married anybody I pleased.

Little Bobby—Well, didn't you please anybody, Auntie?

EMPIRE UNITED IN WAR EFFORT

Britain's Manpower Increasing—Dominions Answering Call to Aid

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP)—Heartened by vigorous blasting of Germany's hopes that war would wreck the Empire, Britain entered the new year with assurance she and the Dominions possess a tremendous reservoir of man power to call upon in the battle against Hitlerism.

Arrival of the First Division of the Canadian Active Service Force and an Australian Air Force squadron at Christmastime, coupled with news of Indian troops in France, served effectively to answer German propaganda assertions of a crack-up in event of war.

But the coming of these men and the rapidly increasing strength of Britain's armed forces merely ruffled the surface of the reservoir.

Basing their estimates on census figures of men of military age, observers here calculate the United Kingdom has about 8,000,000 men in that category. All are affected by Britain's conscription law, the only universal one in the Empire, but many would be exempted because they might be in reserved occupations or medically unfit.

Best available figures show about 1,600,000 Canadians of military age, 1,000,000 Australians and 150,000 in New Zealand. An accurate estimate of India's teeming millions is difficult. It is figured the Colonial Empire contains about 15,000,000 men who might serve.

Lodge Officers Are Installed

The annual meeting of Loyal Orange County Lodge was held in the Orange Hall on Saturday last, Wor. Bro. Keatley, County Master, presiding, with a large number present. All reports were satisfactory and the Order was declared sound financially.

Election and installation ceremonies were carried out by Wor. Bro. Pearce and Wor. Bro. McCall, the election of officers resulting as follows: County master, Wor. Bro. Keatley; deputy master, Wor. Bro. Rogers; chaplain, Wor. Bro. West; recording secretary, Wor. Bro. McBain; financial secretary-treasurer, Wor. Bro. Greenaides; first lecturer, Wor. Bro. Morrow; marshal, Wor. Bro. Crabtree; deputy lecturers, Wor. Bros. Creech and Rolls; auditors, Wor. Bros. Creech and Pearce.

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SODA BISCUITS 1-lb. pkts. 2 for 25c

CLASSIC CLEANSER 2 Tins for 9c Limit 4

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Nabob Tomato Juice 2 tins for 9c
BRUNSWICK SARDINES 2 tins for 9c
KIPPERED SNACKS 2 tins for 9c
Nabob Jelly Powders 2 pkts. for 9c

GRAPE-NUTS 15c pkt.
PERFEX 15c btl.
COX GELATINE 15c pkt.
PANCAKE SYRUP 15c 15¾-oz. btl.

Red Salmon, ½'s 14c tin
Swans Down Cake Flour 25c pkt.
COFFEE 28c 1-lb. pkt.
SUNRAY TEA 48c 1-lb. pkt.
LIFEBUOY SOAP 2 bars 13c
BON AMI 12c cake
RECKITT'S BLUE 5c cake
SPINACH 10c tin

SMOKED PICNIC SHOULDERS, lb. . . 19c
Sliced Side Bacon, lb. 24c
INDIVIDUAL HAM STEAKS, each 9c
Sliced Ayrshire Bacon, lb. 24c
SWIFT'S TENDERIZED SMOKED COTTAGE ROLLS Whole or Half, per lb. 23c

ORMOND'S SODAS, 1-lb. pkt. . . . . ORMOND'S GRAHAM WAFERS, 1-lb. pkt. 15c
PURE HONEY, 4½-lb. tin 47c

WORCESTER SAUCE, bottle . . . . . MEAT SAUCE, bottle . . . . . SALT, 3½-lb. bag . . . . . LAUNDRY STARCH, pkt. . . CANADA CORN STARCH, pkt. 9c

LAMB Shoulders Whole or half, lb. 17c
LAMB Legs Small, lb. 27c
LAMB Loins Breast on, lb. 22c

BEEF RED BRAND GRADE "A" Shellbone, lb. . . . Sirloin Tip, lb. . . . Rolled Prime Ribs, lb. . . . . Prime Ribs, lb. . . 25c
LAMB RIB CHOPS, lb. 25c
STEAKS Sirloin, lb. . . . . Club, lb. . . . . Round, lb. 25c
BEEF RED BRAND GRADE "A" Rumps, lb. . . . . Rolled Ribs, lb. . . Cross Rib, lb. . . . Round, lb. 21c

MUTTON LEGS . . . . lb. 19c; SHOULDERS . . . . lb. 12c; CHOPS . . . . lb. 18c; BREAST . . . . lb. 9c
EXTRA SPECIAL BOILING BEEF, lb. . . . HEARTS, lb. . . . TRIPE, lb. . . . HAMBURGER, lb. . . . 9c
PORK GRAIN FED SHOULDERS . . . . lb. 16c; LOIN ROASTS . . . . lb. 24c; PORK CHOPS . . . . lb. 25c; PORK STEAK . . . . lb. 20c

SAUSAGE MEAT . . . . lb. 7c
LIVER, sliced . . . . lb. 10c
STEAK AND KIDNEY . . . . lb. 15c

BUTTER FIRST GRADE 3 lbs. for 97c
EGGS Grade "A" large, doz. . . 22c
EGGS Grade "A" Pullet, doz. . . 16c
CHEESE MILD, lb. . . . . 19c; MEDIUM, lb. . . . . 28c; NIPPY, lb. 35c

Green Beans . . . . Green Peas . . . . . Tomatoes 2's, squat . . . . Golden Corn . . . . Asparagus Cuts . . 3 Tins for 25c

FISH DEPT. Whiting Fillets, Dressed Soles . . . lb. 15c; Fresh Herring 3 lbs. 20c; Fresh Whiting, Fresh Black Cod . . . lb. 8c; Filleted Sole, lb. . . . . 25c; Scotch Kippers, 2 pairs 25c; Smoked Salmon, lb. 20c

DELICATESSEN WIENERS, lb. . . . . 18c; SWEET MIXED PICKLES, pint 19c; MEAT LOAF, ½ lb. . . . . 10c; LIVER SAUSAGE, lb. . . . . 25c; BOLOGNA, ½ lb. 7c

FRUIT DEPT. LARGE NAVEL ORANGES, doz. 19c, 3 dozen for 55c; TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT 6 for 19c; SUNKIST LEMONS, doz. . . . . 19c; ROME BEAUTY APPLES 6 lbs. 25c; COOKING ONIONS 4 lbs. 10c; BRUSSELS SPROUTS, lb. 5c

CANDY SPECIALS Butterscotch Squares, lb. . . . . 17c; Assorted Fruit Drops, lb. . . . . 15c; Peanut Brittle, lb. . . . . 17c; Sherbet Fruits, lb. . . . . 10c; English Toffees, lb. . . Licorice Allsorts, lb. 23c

FLOUR SPECIAL MASTER BAKER BREAD FLOUR
7-lb. Bag 23c
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Pure Dutch COCOA 10c 1-lb. pkt.
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PINEAPPLE JUICE 10c tin
PEA SOUP 28-oz. tin 10c
PANCAKE FLOUR 10c pkt.

VANILLA FLAVORING, btl. . . . . LEMON FLAVORING, btl. . . . . SUNLIGHT SOAP, bar . . . . . WHEAT or RICE PUFFS, pkt. . . . CORN or OAT PUFFS, pkt. . . . . 5¢

PEACHES 10c tin
APRICOTS 10c tin
PEARS 10c tin
SULTANA RAISINS 10c lb.
DRIED PEARS 10c lb.

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GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 22c 50-oz. tin

BAKEASY SHORTENING, lb. . . . COW BAKING SODA, 1-lb. pkt. . SHREDDED WHEAT, pkt. . . . . OATMEAL, 2-lb. pkt. . . . . CORNMEAL, 2-lb. pkt. 10c

VEGETABLE SOUP 6c tin
TOMATO SOUP 6c tin
BREAD Unwrapped 6c loaf

HEINZ "57" Varieties
TOMATO KETCHUP, large bottle 19c
HEINZ VINEGAR 16-oz. bottle . . . . . 15c; 33-oz. bottle 25c
HEINZ TOMATO SOUP 3 tins 25c
CHILI SAUCE, bottle 24c

WAX PAPER 100-ft. roll 15c
PURE MAPLE SYRUP 45c 32-oz. tin
APPLE WITH STRAWBERRY JAM 33c 4-lb. tin
OXYDOL Large pkt. 21c Reg. pkt. 9c
OXYDOL Giant Size 59c pkt.
"CHIPSO" Large pkt. 21c Reg. pkt. 9c
IVORY SOAP 9c large bar
MOLASSES 9c 22-oz. tin

BLUE RIBBON TEA 1-lb. pkt. 55c
BLUE RIBBON COFFEE 1-lb. tin 47c; ½-lb. tin 26c
BAKING CHOCOLATE . . . . . pkt. 10c
BLUE RIBBON COCOA . . . . . ½-lb. tin 13c

ROLLED OATS 29c 6-lb. sack
BLACK FIGS 9c lb.

GREEN PEAS, lb. . . . . GOOD RICE, lb. . . . . WHITE BEANS, lb. . . . . POT BARLEY, lb. . . . . VERMICELLI, lb. . . . . 5¢

SWIFT'S SILVERLEAF LARD 9c 1-lb. carton
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DRIED FRUIT SALAD 10c lb.

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A.S.A. Tablets, for colds and headaches, bottle of 100 19c
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Barclay's Halibut Liver Oil Capsules, box of 50 49c
Blue Lined Envelopes, pkg. of 25, per pkg. 4c
Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, 16-oz. bottle 39c
Ironized Yeast (genuine), $1.25 size 89c
Hot Water Bottles (Canadian) 1 year guarantee 39c
Pinex, for colds. Regular 50c . . 39c
Vi-Tone Chocolate Drink, 24-oz. tin. Regular 90c . . 75c
Hydrogen Peroxide, 4-oz. bottle 8c
Old English Health Salts Recipe, 14-oz. tin 29c
Embossed White Napkins, pkg. of 100. To clear 10c
Cornwall Pipe Mixture, new price 50c
Virginia Shorts Pipe Tobacco, new price 35c

MIXED PICKLES 23c large jar
GIBSON'S FACIAL TISSUES 5c box of 150
RUBBER GLOVES 15c pair

2 IN 1 Shoe Polish tin 9c
SHINOLA Floor Wax 1-lb. tin 21c

OYSTERS Frying Size 18c tin
SHRIMPS 16c tin
CHICKEN HADDIE 14c tin

AYLMER BRAND ORANGE MARMALADE 4-lb. tin 37c
AYLMER PORK & BEANS Selected White Beans Packed in Delicious, Rich Tomato Sauce 16-oz. tins 2 tins for 15c

RUSSIAN MINERAL OIL 29c 16-oz. blt.
NOXZEMA CREAM 15c 25c size

Cocomalt DELICIOUS and NOURISHING Contains Vitamins A, B and D 1-lb. tin 59c
TEA BAGS 19c box
Red Label, 1-lb. pkt. . . . 70c; Red Label, ½-lb. pkt. . . . 36c; Orange Label, 1-lb. pkt. . . . 80c; Orange Label, ½-lb. pkt. . . . 41c; Yellow Label, 1-lb. pkt. . . . 90c; Yellow Label, ½-lb. pkt. . . . 46c

PURE MUSTARD 10c ½-lb. pkt.
JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF 89c 16-oz. btl.
SLICED PINEAPPLE 3 tins 25c
FRY'S COCOA 19c ½-lb. tin
FETHERLITE PASTRY FLOUR 19c 7-lb. bag
EXETER CORNED BEEF 2 tins 27c

BUDDIES DOG FOOD 2 tins 15c
MIXED BIRD SEED 10c 1-lb. pkt.
CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS 10c doz.
TOMATO JUICE 9c 25-oz. tin
HOUSEHOLD BRAN 9c 2-lb. sack
GLEEM LEMON OIL 19c large btl.
CRISCO 1-lb. tin 21c; 3-lb. tin 59c
SAIR DATES 3-lb. lots 5c lb. Limit 2 lbs.
PRINCESS SOAP FLAKES 13c pkt.
CORN BROOMS 39c Each
CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 3 tins 25c
CAMPBELL'S SPAGHETTI 3 tins 25c
MEAT BALLS Jiffy, ½'s 3 tins 25c
BREAST OF TUNA, ½'s 2 tins 25c

What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If February 1 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., from 2:45 to 4:45 p.m., and from 8:45 to 10:45 p.m. The danger-periods are from 8:45 to 10:45 a.m., from 6:45 to 8:45 p.m., and from 10:45 p.m. until midnight.

Most failures on this day will be due to a neglect of opportunities. Giving in to a love for pleasure or to an inclination to play when there is work to be done is apt to be responsible for many discordant conditions. February 1 is a good day to be very conservative in making promises and in spending money. A lack of appreciation will be responsible for most of the days unhappiness, so be sure to show gratitude, should there be any occasion for it. February 1 may call for using new methods of procedure in the furthering of some plan or idea you might have. Do not go too much on past performances, for changing conditions are likely to make them appear time-worn and of little avail. Forgetfulness will be the bane of society in general, so if you wish to play safe, do what you have to do yourself. Married and engaged couples and those who are busily pursuing matrimonial happiness must be careful that some form of neglect or oversight is not a contributing cause for a great disappointment being suffered by a loved one.

If you are a woman and February 1 is your birthday, you have it in your power to contribute to many persons' happiness. Develop your personality, for through it will come your triumphs. You can never afford to appear affected or vain, for it will be your naturalness that will appeal to people. You will have many friends ready to serve you at all times, providing you demonstrate by your loyalty and sincerety that you are worthy of their confidence. Remember, it may be excusable to gossip about your enemies, but it is never so to gossip about those whom you know are well-disposed towards you. You should have no difficulty in winning praise and making money through catering to the public's needs—teaching, writing painting acting, selling, or in some musical form of activity. Your prospects for matrimonial happiness appear to be excellent.

The child born on February 1 is generally responsive to kindness, and is capable of being a great comfort to its parents. With maturity should come the ability to demonstrate its mental attainments and perhaps its money-making proclivities.

If you are a man and February 1 is your natal day, there ought to never be any handicap that you cannot overcome. Let courage sustain you, and view the future with optimism. As a soldier, sailor, engineer, journalist, author, theatrical man, artist, inventor, doctor, dentist lawyer or sales agent the world may prove to be your oyster—an oyster which you will find you can open with a surprising degree of ease.

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OFFICER TRANSFERRED

CALGARY, Jan. 31 (CP) — Major E. H. Parsons, district ordnance officer for Alberta Military District 13, has been transferred to Kingston, Ont., as ordnance officer for the large military district in Eastern Ontario. He will be succeeded here by Captain A. E. Gardner, of Regina, who has held the equivalent post in the Saskatchewan military division.

BADMINTON CHAMPIONS WILL PLAY THIS EVENING

ELEANOR YOUNG AND ERIC LENEY READY FOR TITLE DEFENCES

Vancouver Girl and Duncan Shuttle Expert Will Perform Tonight at the Willows—Play Commences in Various Open Events—Straight-Set Wins Feature of Last Night's Play

Rulers of Vancouver Island shuttle courts, Miss Eleanor Young, Vancouver badminton ace, and Eric Leney, Duncan star, will open their title defences this evening at the Victoria Badminton Club courts at the Willows.

Play in the annual championship tournament continued last night, with the majority of the matches in the open events. Seeded players and favorites advanced with straight-set triumphs being the order of the evening.

Mrs. R. Knott and Miss P. Sluggett, women's doubles titleholders, made their first appearance last night and scored an easy victory over Misses J. Cavenagh and B. Baker. The scores were 15-12, 15-3.

Miss Peggy MacDonald, city champion, moved forward in the women's open singles at the expense of Miss Margaret Addison, Nanaimo shuttler, in straight sets. The Victoria ace took the overtime first game, 12-11, and finished the match with an 11-5 triumph in the second fixture.

Nineteen matches are billed this evening at the Victoria Club courts, and when the last "bird" flutters over the courts at the end of the playing session the tournament will be advanced to the semi-finals in all stages.

Results follow:

OPEN EVENTS

Women's Singles

Miss P. MacDonald won from Miss M. Addison (Nanaimo), 12-11, 11-5.

Miss G. McCall won from Miss J. Cavenagh, 11-2, 11-3.

Boys' Singles

L. Wilson won from I. Gillespie, 15-5, 15-4.

J. Brandon won from D. Boniface, 17-16, 10-15, 15-9.

Men's Doubles

R. Bagley and P. Colclough won from D. Bleasdale and H. Francis, 15-2, 15-4.

D. Hincks and D. Davis won from S. Bichard and D. Fish, 15-4, 15-5.

Mixed Doubles

Miss D. Swayne and P. Colclough won from Miss M. Rice-Jones and N. McConnell, 15-12, 15-8.

Miss P. Sluggett and D. Hincks won from Mrs. Foote and B. Davies, 15-8, 15-9.

Miss M. Hughes and D. Davis won from Mrs. R. Knott and R. Knott, 15-13, 15-10.

Miss B. Baker and D. Bleasdale won from Miss J. Thomson and H. Francis, 15-12, 15-12.

Miss G. McCall and D. Fish won from Mrs. K. Rawnsley and C. Clarke, 15-7, 15-4.

Miss M. Addison (Nanaimo) and G. Lane won from Miss G. McCall and D. Fish, 18-16, 15-8.

Women's Doubles

Misses J. and L. Thomson won from Mrs. R. Heywood and Mrs. L. Foote, 15-3, 15-4.

Mrs. R. Knott and Miss P. Sluggett won from Misses J. Cavenagh and B. Baker, 15-12, 15-3.

HANDICAP EVENTS

Women's Singles

Miss M. Worsley (—8) won from Miss V. Pearson (+4), 11-8, 11-10.

Mixed Doubles

Miss P. Hodgson and R. Bagley (—4) won from Miss B. Baker and P. Salmon (—2), 15-5, 10-15, 15-11.

Miss L. Thomson and R. Dalzell (—4) won from Miss N. Rice-Jones and H. Drew (scratch), 15-11, 15-12.

Men's Doubles

S. Skillings and B. Davies (—8) won from H. Drew and B. Harris (+1), 15-5, 15-11.

Women's Doubles

Misses N. Rice-Jones and K. Harris (scratch) won from Misses M. Hughes and P. Hodgson (—4), 15-10, 15-10.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

7:30—J. Wells vs. K. Meredith; N. Mustart vs. D. Davis; E. Leney vs. H. MacDonald; Miss E. Young vs. Miss J. Carrier; Miss J. Thomson vs. Miss G. McCall; N. Lambrick vs. M. Creighton.

8:00—E. Leney and G. Lane vs. J. Wells and P. Jeannerct; W. Lovell and T. Dalzell vs. N. Bonner and R. Bonner; Miss M. Worsley vs. Miss V. Martin; Miss L. Anderton and G. Lambrick vs. Miss B. Boyce and S. Skillings; Miss P. Hodgson and R. Bagley vs. Miss G. Taylor and P. Colclough.

8:30—D. Bleasdale vs. winner of N. Mustart vs. D. Davis; Miss G. McCall and Miss D. Swayne vs. Miss P. MacDonald and Miss M. Hughes; D. Dodwell and F. Leighton vs. P. Salmon and T. Browning; M. Creighton vs. winner of J. Wells vs. K. Meredith.

9:00—Miss E. Young and N. Mustart vs. Miss L. Thomson and M. Creighton; Miss V. Martin and J. Wells vs. Miss J. Cavenagh and P. Jeaneret; Miss M. Hughes and D. Davis vs. Miss B. Baker and D. Bleasdale.

9:30 — Miss P. Sluggett and D. Hincks vs. winner of Miss V. Martin and J. Wells vs. Miss J. Cavenagh and P. Jeaneret; Miss D. Swayne and P. Colclough vs. winner of Miss E. Young and N. Mustart vs. Miss L. Thomson and M. Creighton.

FIVE GAMES BILLED HERE

Three Carded on Saturday And Two Sunday in Juvenile League

Five football matches will be run off in the Juvenile League over the week-end. On Saturday three fixtures are carded and two more will be held on Sunday. At 10:30 on Saturday, St. Louis College will clash with the Rovers at Central Park and Young's Shamrocks will face Pro-Recs at Bullen Park. The Maple Leafs and the Navy will meet in the afternoon at Bullen Park with Referee Peers in charge. The kick-off is set for 2:30.

Sunday, St. Louis College will journey to James Island for a game at 2:30, and at the same hour Young's Shamrocks have a date with the Navy at Admirals Road. Peers will referee the latter match.

Line-ups follow:

Maple Leafs—D. Donaghy, F. Donaghy, McCaghcy, Braithwaite, Jones, Travis, Pickford, Popham, Lea, Prior, Clarke, Hudlin and Bond.

Pro-Recs: Fletcher, Hilton, Maver, Earl, Curtis, White, Roberts, Bath, Marshall, Thorburn, Hickman, Brown and Ngal.

Young's Shamrocks — Lamberton, Jenkins, Buxton, Creed, Shubrooke, Bissenden, Young, Evans, Wigmore, McAllister, King, Foreman, Carter, Rowa and Goldie.

SEAHAWKS IN HOCKEY WIN

Seattle Icemen Move Into Tie for First Place By Victory

SEATTLE, Jan. 31 (AP).—Seattle moved into a tie with Vancouver for Pacific Coast Hockey League leadership by defeating the Canadians here tonight, 5-1.

The victory put both teams a half-game ahead of Portland, the league's third member and leader until last week.

LINE-UPS

Vancouver—Jackson; Mercer, Hutton; Rimstad; Lennon, Palm. Subs: Jerwa, Wood, Adams, O'Neill.

Seattle—Pinke; Houbregs, Ripley; Downcy; Vickers, Tabor. Subs: King, Kenny, Daley, Blyth, Hutchinson.

Officials: Cam Proudlock and Amby Moran.

SUMMARY

First Period—1. Seattle, King (Daley, Downie), 18:49. Penalties: Mercer (2), Kenny, Tabor, Wood.

Second Period—2. Seattle, Vickers (Tabor, Kenny), 11:43; 3. Vancouver, Rimstad (Lennon, Jerwa), 19:49. Penalties: Ripley (five minutes), Palm.

Third Period—4. Seattle, Downie (Tabor), 3:05; 5. Seattle, Daley (Blyth), 15:27; 6. Seattle, Tabor (Vickers), 19:18. Penalties: Tabor, Jerwa.

GAME BODY WILL GATHER MONDAY

A meeting of the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, on Government Street. As this is the first meeting of the year the executive committee hopes to see every member turn out and bring a new member along.

A guest from Nanaimo will speak on "Fish Culture."

BLAKE NOT FOR SALE

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Ernie Savard, president of the Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League, issued a statement tonight saying Toe Blake, his star winger, is not for sale for cash.

"Blake is not for sale for cash," Savard said. "The only thing I would consider as an exchange for Blake would be three or four good players; you know, players of very well known ability."

KIWANIS CUP GAME BILLED

College and High School Rugby Fifteens Meet Wednesday Afternoon

Student Rugby fifteens from Victoria College and Victoria High School will meet Wednesday afternoon at the Fernwood Road ground in the annual Kiwanis Cup fixture. The kick-off is set for 3:30 o'clock.

The College, defending champions, will be out to repeat their win over a much-improved High School team. This year the Craigdarroch students got away to a slow start but, under the able coaching of Dick Nixon, have come along tremendously and are now leading the second half of the Intermediate League schedule.

Playing Wednesday will be such stars as Colley Lucas, Al Narod, Wally Friker, Ian MacPherson and Ian MacDonald. Both Lucas and Narod are former senior players, while Friker is a holdover from last season's squad. MacPherson was the star scrum half at Shawnigan Lake School in 1937 and 1938. The team is light in the scrum but big and fast in the backfield.

The line-up for Victoria High School will be almost identically the same as the High Schools' "Rep" fifteen that played in Vancouver a few weeks ago. The scrum averages 165 pounds and outweighs the College by fifteen pounds a man, but the backfield is much lighter than that of the Collegians.

Such local stars as Don Garrison, who plays senior with the Oak Bay Wanderers' senior Rugby team; Wally Williams, aggressive star of the Wanderers' intermediates, and Dick Hudlin, whose sensational place kicking has won many games for the J.B.A.A. intermediates, are on the line-up.

Rival squads have been practising hard and a close, fast game should be in store for all Rugby lovers.

EIGHT ACES VICTORIOUS

Taken to Overtime to Beat Out K-V's—Garrison and Arrows Win

With Whitfield and Clague potting baskets in the overtime period, Eight Aces came through with a great win over K-V's in the intermediate "A" division of the City Basketball League last night at the High School gymnasium by a 23-18 score. The clubs were knotted at the end of regulation time at eighteen-all, and then the Aces took advantage of their few scoring opportunities in the extra period to snare a smart decision.

Garrison continued unbeaten in the senior "C" section with a narrow 29-27 win over Knapp's Nurseries, while Victoria Arrows, formerly known as the Senators, made their first public appearance of the season before local fans by taking the measure of Champion & White, senior "B" club, in an exhibition game, 40-20. The squads were deadlocked at the interval, sixteen-all, but the Arrows displayed great scoring punch in the last two sessions and bagged twenty-four points to the opposition's four.

Bob Malcolm and Jack Phillion handled the games and teams follow:

Champion & White—K. Sluggett (4), C. Sluggett (2), Lannon (2), Gunn, D. McBeth (6), J. McBeth (6) and J. McBeth.

Arrows—Walker (11), Dale (3), Goldsmith (10), I. McKeachie (10), Parfitt, Piercey (2), Whyte (2), Hornsby (2) and Smart.

Knapp's Nurseries—D. Gent (15), K. Gent (6), Fetherstone (2), P. Ellis (2), T. Ellis and Knapp.

Garrison—Hall (12), Miles (6), Wilkinson, Pocock, Sutherland (2), McCorkall (7), Lawford, Larking (2) and McMillan.

K-V's—James (4), Beere (5), Fields (1), Fair, Richards (3) and Masters.

Eight Aces—Pridham (4), Smith (2), W. Price (4), A. Price (2), Whitfield (2), Webster (1) and Clague (8).

THUNDERBIRD TO WRESTLE WILSON

Popular George Wilson, who gained All-American recognition as a member of the University of Washington Huskies' football squad, and Chief Thunderbird, Saanich brave, were yesterday signed for the second half of Saturday's double main event squirm fest at the Army and Navy auditorium.

The local Indian defeated Jack Forsgren, Vancouver fireman, in the top bout of last week's mat show, while Wilson has scored impressive victories over some of the game's top-notch performers. They will grapple for six ten-minute rounds, or the best two out of three falls.

The other half of the double attraction will present John Katan, Canadian heavyweight from Drumheller, Alta., and Gentleman Joe Corbett, Boston. The clever Albertan will be making his first Victoria appearance.

With the two feature bouts lined up, Promoter Rocky Brooks is paying special attention to the preliminaries. The local mat impresario stated yesterday that he figures Saturday's show will be one of the best of the season.

B.C. TOURNEY AT CRYSTAL

Annual Provincial Table Tennis Championships Open Tonight

Eliminations commence this evening in the annual British Columbia table tennis championships at the Crystal Garden with a strong and large field going after the various honors, including the handicap titles. Three matches will be held in the men's open singles and four in the women's tonight. Defending Titleholder Barbara McKay will start after another crown and Kay Elston will provide the opposition.

W. Keenleyside, Vancouver, is the present men's titlist, and will be over in defence of this honor. One of the favorites will be Ray Pearson, Seattle's great table tennis champion. Also from the Sound city will be "Slim" Wilson, who will play in the singles, and team up with Pearson in the doubles. Victoria's hopes will rest with the following players: Ab Renfrew, city champion, Wilmot Browne-Cave, Lawrie Greenwood, Bill Cotton and Vic Tully. Play will start at 7 o'clock each evening.

Draw follows:

MEN'S SINGLES

R. Dawson vs. R. Crombie; Holstein Rathlow vs. V. Tully; W. Robinson vs. S. G. McKenzie.

HANDICAP SINGLES

S. Gagliardi vs. E. Stewart; W. Payne vs. M. C. Davies; S. G. McKenzie vs. L. Greenwood; Mrs. Robinson vs. H. Pretty; A. Downham vs. J. Jarvis; D. Elworthy vs. A. Seed; R. Rickets vs. D. Robinson; W. Prior vs. W. Robinson; D. Campbell vs. D. Ketcheson; C. Lewis vs. R. Mason; I. O'Connell vs. C. Chambers; A. Walker vs. E. Seed; A. Elworthy vs. A. Renfrew; K. Elston vs. L. Hacet.

LADIES' SINGLES

W. Payne vs. Mrs. Robinson; B. McKay vs. K. Elston; A. Downham vs. J. Jarvis; Mrs. Greenwood vs. M. Heppell.

LADIES' DOUBLES

Mrs. Greenwood and Mrs. Robinson vs. K. Elston and W. Payne.

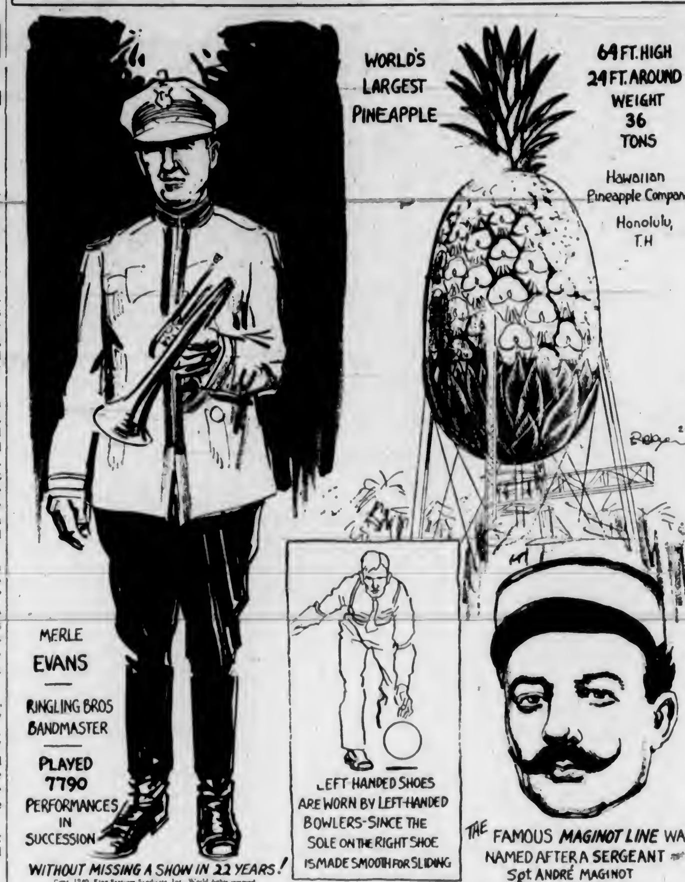
MIXED DOUBLES

W. Cotton and M. Heppell vs. A. Renfrew and W. Payne.

MEN'S DOUBLES

F. Chattele and H. Jarvis vs. A. Elworthy and R. Mason; D. Ketcheson and L. Greenwood vs. W. Cotton and V. Tully.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley



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EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Holy Horse Thief—The most revered man in all Mongolia is Altyn Chatassun, of Charagantu, who is 108 years old. He is the eighteenth direct descendant of the horse thief who once made away with the horse of the great Mongolian conqueror Genghis Khan, in 1221. On the anniversary of Genghis' death, Altyn is obliged to abstain completely from food and drink for three days. Both custom and reverence have been practised for more than seven centuries and will descend to Altyn's children after his demise.

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Crowd Annoyed at Howard Scratching Seabiscuit Again

Racing Fans Disappointed and Boo Lustily When Announcement Is Made Over Loudspeaker—Heelfly Wins $2,000 Handicap on Slippery Track—Jockey James on the Winner

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 31 (AP).—In-again-out-again Seabiscuit stayed out again today, forced to postpone his comeback race because of a slippery track, and his rival of the past, Heelfly, went on to win the $2,000 added Santa Chiquita Handicap at Santa Anita Park.

Owner Charles S. Howard looked over the track after rain began falling during the fourth race, and withdrew Seabiscuit from what was to have been his first race since he broke down last February 14.

The week-end crowd, hoping to see the renewal of a duel that once sent them to a dead heat in the Laurel Mile in 1937, booed lustily as the track loudspeaker reported the California favorite scratched.

With the field reduced to five, Jockey Basil James piloted the six-year-old Heelfly to the head of the pack after being outrun for the first three-quarters, and rolled on in to win by a length over Valdina Farm's Viscounty.

Hysterical, Heelfly's stablemate, finished third, with Bubbling Boy and Firozepore trailing.

"We hated to scratch 'Biscuit, but it was the only thing we could do," Howard said. "It isn't fair to the crowd, who put their money on him, or to the horse, to send him out when there is danger of reinjuring himself on a slippery track."

Heelfly paid $5 to win and 2.20 to place.

SANTA ANITA, Jan. 31.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs
Hunter (James) .. $23.40 $11.60 $6.20
Taj (Dodson) 4.80 3.40
Rita Orung (Balask) 3.20
Time, :34 2-5. Also ran: Straight Aim, Al o. Get On, Pilots Gal, Silver Hame, Johnnie Reb, MacFinnell, Crystal Boy, Valdina Joy, Tramp On, Serajevo Miss.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Stalking (James) 16.20 $1.60 [illegible]
Dear Yankee (Longden) 5.60 4.90
Gold Bubble (Fallon) 27.40
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Zamboango, Dowood, Red Chick, Baccalaureate, Kid Warery, Ereole, Alsantro, Flying Marine, Badger Pass.

THIRD RACE—One mile
Hurrigal (Dodson) 110.00 15.20 12.80
Valdina Boy (Rodriguez) 19.80 9.60
Valdina Doll (Neves) 4.00
Time, 1:41 2-5. Also ran: Dark Phantom, Concessionaire, Jitterbug, Count Epinard, Cooperstown.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Short Notice (Neves) 132.20 115.20 18.00
Enchanted (C. Wagner) 10.00 6.20
Sahara Chief (Taylor) 4.60
Time, 1:12 3-5. Also ran: Billie Bane, Trailer, Brecks, Mr. Grundy, Blue Marvel, Alviso, Wine and Wine, Bel Play, Smoky Snyder.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Tough Hombre (Bierman) 122.80 $9.90 $8.00
Son of War (Shelhamer) 5.40 4.00
Sweepida (Neves) 4.20
Time, 1:11 2-5. Also ran: Carmenita, Bettina, Less Time, Certainty, Nickajack, Orenco.

SIXTH RACE—One mile
Heel Fly (James) 15.00 12.20 ...
Viscounty (Wall) 2.60 ...
Hysterical (Dennis) ...
Time, 1:38 2-5. Also ran: Bubbling Boy, Firozepore.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Ariac (Wall) 17.20 14.40 13.00
Ras Taffari (Balaski) 7.60 2.00
Vino Puro (James) 2.60
Time, 1:45 2-5. Also ran: Dutchill B., Up the Creek.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Winaspread (Randall) $19.60 $11.20 $8.20
Ginoca (James) 10.80 7.60
Hasten Henry (Taylor) 7.60
Time, 1:47 1-5. Also ran: Gallant Friar, Lloyd Pan, Sabueso, High Top, Tanganyika, Danfield.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs

Undue	115
Melody Meadows	115
Sister Cielie	115
Transcent	115
Doll Baby	115
Rodeo Girl	115
Miss Discovery	115
My Edith	115
(B) Valdina Mary	115
Xenofelia	115
Stella Gold	115
Idas Cry	115
Bonnie Jo	115
Amys First	115
Lady Ann	115
(A) Easy Flying	115
(B) Valdina Madam	115
(A) Marks Hope	115

SECOND RACE—One mile

Theater King	115
Bachelor Tom	105
Bill Whiting	100
Bayamo Breeze	103
Glad Hand	110
Tyree	109
Sir Grenville	100
Air Play	104
Herest	103
Helen S	103
Montana Miss	103
Skookumchuck	110

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Shasta Warble	108
Glittering	112
By Reuter	113
Auman	112
Bon Fly	107
Invincible	115
The Hare	110
Lovick	112
Albino	107
Ritz Brothers	117
Proud Indian	112
Star Stepper	110
Sickle, Bill	112
Quick Gold	107
San Antioca	10[illegible]
Worry	107

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs

Rock X	112
Palaccio	112
Oornton	118
Bosworth	110
Happy Knot	110
Musical Jack	112
Royal Portie	1[illegible]
Happy Bolivar	1[illegible]
Pelter	1[illegible]
Osculate	1[illegible]
Sir Oracle	112
Bartolozzi	112
Roman Marcus	112
Smoky Snyder	112

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs

Bon Fume	112
Indiantown	112
Sky O Blue	107
Aces Wild	1[illegible]
Rushaway	112
Onida	1[illegible]
Chief Nash	112
Ariel Cross	115
Commendable	107
Alice G	107
Tommy Whelan	107
Sky Pirate	113
Broad Tail	107
Warlaine	112

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one sixteenth

Step By	115
Sun Over	116
Olimpo	118
Teddy Kerry	105
Best Beau	106
Capt. Gal	106
Jonarie	110

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Gallaclay	112
Chasar	118
Betico	104
Sky Rhonda	104
Timberland	106
Rocca	116
Foxster	113
Jingoist	116
Lame Duck	111

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Sitting Bull	110
Bien Chance	103
Pinkus	105
Broadwink	107
Shortbread	110
Tistrue	108
Genteel Lady	113
Negra Mia	103
Manrico	107
Infinite Lady	113
Hilsinger	112
In Range	110
Payrack	112
Jaconut	110
Altabunny	105
Dark Accent	107

Hockey President Backs Up Referees In National Loop

Frank Calder Puts in Good Word for Arbiters Officiating in Major Hockey Circuit—Conny Smythe Holds Investigation

By ROBERT CLARKE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Eyes grinning just the slightest, President Frank Calder put in a good word today for the watchdogs of the National Hockey League, the referees.

"Tell me where I can get better men and I'll look right into it," is his way of stressing his confidence in the league officials. And to bolster this confidence is the story he tells of a check-up by Manager Conny Smythe, of Toronto Maple Leafs.

"Smythe decided one night to have two men watch a game and report any infractions they considered that the referees had missed. Neither of the two knew that anyone but he alone was making a check. Smythe sent in the reports to me afterwards.

"Those reports interested me. I believed it would be a good idea to make a further check. So it was arranged that three observers would watch at three games, naturally reporting only those incidents which they considered should have been caught by the officials. The three of them caught what they considered were ninety-four infractions.

"But here's the odd part about it. Let's call the three men A, B and C. Well, A agreed with B only seven times and with C twice. And the three of them together only agreed on one incident. Smythe didn't think the referees were so bad after that and spoke right up admitting it."

SMYTHIAN CHECK

The Smythian check really is a variation of a system that has been in vogue a good many years in the N.H.L.—a medium whereby Calder has a double-check in case there is any complaint against an official.

"We have observers at almost every N.H.L. game, and because of this I can always be assured of an absolutely unbiased, neutral report," said the league president. I can't give out the names of these men, but they are old-time players, officials or men who have had hockey connections for years.

"They definitely are not there to check on the referees. But after all, a referee can't always see everything. Two players may start a fight and the officials will be watching the play which will be in the other end of the rink. I know that I can rely on the report of these observers to be completely unbiased."

SOCCER LINE-UP

Rangers' soccer line-up for Saturday's match with the Saanich Thistles will be as follows: Saunders, Ball, Bissenden, MacSween, Pearce, Rowell, Holt, Stokes, Dixon, Cullin, Blakemore, Richardson, Fuller, McCorkall and Bousfield.

RANKING GOLF STARS ADVANCE

Patty Berg and Betty Jameson Among Winners in Miami Tourney

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Jan. 31 (AP).—Three of the United States' top-ranking women golfers and a comely outsider, Shirley Ann Johnson, of Winnetka, Ill., survived two rounds of play today to reach the semi-finals of the annual Miami-Biltmore women's championship.

Patty Gerg of Minneapolis, seeking her fifth straight victory in the local classic; Betty Jameson, of San Antonio, national champion, and Marion Miley, of Lexington, Ky., Curtis Cup star and former Southern champion, joined the blonde Illinois miss in the round of four.

Tomorrow's eighteen-hole matches pit Berg against Miley and Jamesan against Johnson.

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Soup Plates—Former values, $1.00 to $1.50. Sale price, each 29c
Sugar Bowls—Former prices, $2.50 to $6.00. Sale price, each $1.00
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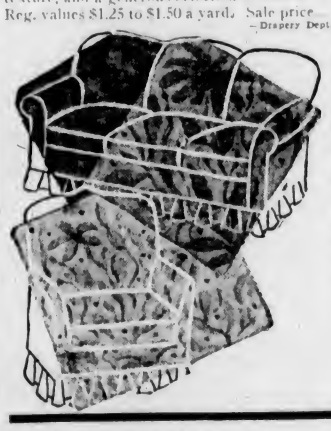

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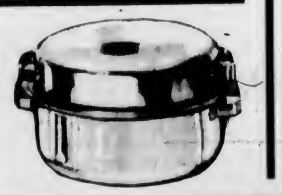

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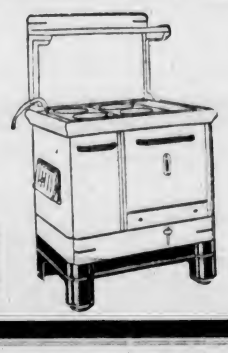

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SAANICH FIREMEN WILL TRAIN HERE

Fire Wardens Agree to Receive Two Men—Annual Estimates Total $176,975.16

Two members of the Saanich fire department will receive training at city fire department headquarters on Cormorant Street, according to Alderman Archie Willis, chairman of the fire wardens. Saanich will assume full responsibility for any injuries sustained by the men while receiving instruction.

At a council meeting on Monday, the fire wardens will recommend that Fred Oliver be superannuated at his own request.

Fire department 1940 estimates total $176,975.16, of which $134,380 represents wages, and $800 for new clothing and general items. The estimates show an increase of $1,268 over those of 1939.

Action may be taken by the fire wardens to renew portions of the overhead fire alarm wiring system, on recommendation of Fire Chief Alex Munroe. The chief also suggested that an additional fireman be appointed for special inspection duties.

Free speech means you can say what you please if you don't mind getting fired or losing customers.

Tame Deer Offer Declined Here by Parks Committee

An offer of a tame deer from Tofino was declined with thanks by the City Council parks committee yesterday afternoon. Alderman S. H. Okell, the chairman, explained there was no accommodation for the animal at Beacon Hill Park.

The committee decided to refer a request from cricketers that the pavilion be rebuilt at Beacon Hill Park to the council. In the meantime the cost will be investigated.

It was decided to purchase lawnmowers from D. Spencer, Ltd., and parts from McLellan, McFeely & Prior, Ltd. Samples of hose for boulevards are to be obtained.

A letter of thanks from Vancouver for the gift of a male swan was received.

That Body of Yours by JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

X-RAY TREATMENT IN ACUTE MIDDLE EAR INFECTION

From time to time and from different parts of the world, physicians have been reporting excellent results in the treatment of chronic catarrh and deafness by X-ray treatments. The X-rays have been particularly helpful in old or chronic cases of catarrhal deafness. Failure to obtain results by X-rays as reported by some physicians is attributed to not giving the proper dosages at the right distances from sinuses and ears.

It is interesting to learn that in acute disease of the middle ear which so often follows or accompanies diseases of childhood, treatment by X-rays is now being used successfully.

Dr. A. H. Dowdy, in Radiology, states that the use of X-rays in these acute middle ear cases does not bring about the cure so much by killing the organisms causing the infection, but because X-ray treatment increases the number of white corpuscles in the blood. And it is these white corpuscles, that fight and kill the harmful organisms, thus bringing about a cure.

Further, the sooner the X-ray treatment is given, the sooner are the results obtained. One of the reasons for the pain and distress in middle ear infection is the great thickness of the pus. This thick pus pushes against the surrounding tissues, including the drum of the ear, and causes the intense pain. The X-ray treatment has the effect of preventing the pus from becoming so thick, it becomes so thin that it can readily drain from the ear and thus relieve the pressure and pain. The little tube—eustachian—which carries air from back of throat up to inner side of ear drum is thus enabled to become more widely open and some of this thin pus drains out of the middle ear into the eustachian tube to throat and can be coughed out.

Also, if pus is so thin and watery it can very readily drain out of ear drum through a small puncture or opening.

Dr. Dowdy's concluding statement is: "Roentgenotherapy (treatmen by X-rays) has been of distinct value in cutting short acute catarrhal middle ear infection (otitis media); and in lessening the necessity for surgery in acute cases complicated by mastoid infection.

It is gratifying to know that X-ray treatment may prevent an acute case from becoming chronic which so often is followed by deafness or hard of hearing.

WOMEN AND GUNS

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP). — The woman was on a motorcycle and wore the uniform of a naval dispatch rider, but the bobby still didn't approve of her crashing a red light.

He told the judge later he was further irked when she remarked, "We're going to be issued revolvers—I wish I had mine now." The fine was £3 10s (about $16).

JORDAN OVERFLOWS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 31 (AP).—The River Jordan went over its banks, flooding valley districts today after a three-day rainstorm. Some loss of life was reported.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Trend Is Mostly Down for Stocks On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP).—Scattered selling in aviation, motor and metal shares tipped the stock market scales slightly to the downside today.

A few shares broke away from the main trend with minor gains, but traders generally seemed reluctant to take positions until the business and war outlooks clarify.

One of the quietest months on the stock exchange in many years ended with little change in the character of the dealings. Several large transactions in low-priced issues contributed to lift the day's turnover to 610,010 shares compared with 547,960 yesterday, but the market remained in the rut it has occupied the last two weeks.

The Associated Press composite price of sixty stocks at the finish was down .2 of a point at 49.4.

Additional 1939 corporate earnings reports made satisfactory reading for the financial district, but the stock market remained indifferent to such news, except for an occasional small flurry in individual issues.

Railway loans and selected industrial issues ended fractions higher in the bond market today.

Small losers in the general bond list included Anaconda Copper 4 1-2's, closing at 106 3-4.

United States Governments ended 7-32 higher to 12-32 lower.

Finland 6's of 1945 lost 1 7-8 at 43 1-8 and Norway 4 1-2's of 1956 were down 1 1-8 at 70 1-2.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 145.33, off .30.
Twenty rails, 30.50, off .16.
Fifteen utilities, 24.70, off .23.
Forty bonds, 89.28, off .02.
Total sales, 610,000.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemicals	172-6	172	172 6
American P. & L.	4	3 7	4
American Radiator	9 7	9 6	9 7
American Rolling Mills	15-3	15	15-3
American Smelter	47-7	47-4	47 6
American Tel. & Tel.	170-5	..	170-5
American Zinc & Lead	9	5-7	5-7
Anaconda Copper	27	26-7	26-7
Atchison Railway	23	22-7	23
B. & O. Railway	5-4	5 3	5-3
Baldwin Locomotive	15	..	15
Bendix Aviation	30-6	30 2	30-2
Bethlehem Steel	74	73	73
Borden	23	22 7	23
Borg Warner	23 4	..	23 4
Canada Dry	5	..	5
C. & O. Railway	39 4	..	39 4
Chrysler	81-5	81 1	81-1
Commercial Credit	47-1	..	47 1
Commercial Solvent	14	13	13
Con. Edison	32	31 8	32
Cont. Can	43	42 4	42-4
Crown Zellerbach	15-5	..	15-5
Curtiss Wright	10-3	10 2	10 2
Curtiss Wright "A"	29 2	29 0	29-2
Douglas Aircraft	92-2	...	92-2
Dupont	180	..	180
Eastman Kodak	160 4	..	160 4
El. Auto Lite	35 7	..	35-7
Freeport Texas	33	..	33
General Foods	47	..	47
Gen. Electric	38 2	38	38
General Motors	52-6	52 3	52 4
Glen Martin	38-2	37	37-5
Goodyear	22-4	..	22 4
Inter. Harvester	55	54 7	54 7
Inter. Marine	9 1	..	9 1
Inter. Nickel	36	35 5	35-5
Inter. Tel.	4	..	4
Kennecott Copper	35 8	35 2	35 2
Loew's	35 4	35-2	35 4
Lorillard	24 5	..	24-5
Mack Truck	24-5	..	24-5
Montgomery Ward	51 5	51 4	51-5
Nash Kelvinator	6 8	6 5	6 5
Nat. Dairy	16 8	..	16 6
New York Central	16-2	16 1	16 2
North Amer. Aviation	25 2	24-7	24-7
Northern Pacific	8-2	8	8 2
Penn Railway	21 5	21 4	21 5
Phillips Pete	39-6	39 4	39 4
Pullman	27	..	27
Pure Oil	9 2	..	9 2
Radio	5 7	..	5-7
Republic Iron Steel	19-5	19-4	19 5
Reynolds Tobacco	40 4	..	40-4
Safeway Stores	49	47 7	49
Sears Roebuck	81 2	81 1	81 2
Simmons Beds	21-6	..	21-6
Southern Pacific	13	..	13
Southern Railway	17-8	16-6	16-8
Sperry Corp.	45 4	..	45-4
Standard Brands	7	..	7
Standard Oil Cal.	24-7	24-5	24 6
Standard Oil N.J.	43 4	43	43
Studebaker	10 4	10 2	10-2
Texas Corp	42 8	42-4	42-4
Twentieth Century Fox	11 7	..	11-7
Union Carbide	80-2	80 2	80-3
Union Pacific	94	93-7	93-7
United Aircraft	47 7	47 5	47 7
United Airlines	15 5	..	15-5
United Gas & Imp.	14-5	..	14-5
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	35	..	35
U.S. Rubber	36 2	36 1	36-1
U.S. Steel	57-5	56 5	56 5
Westinghouse Electric	109 4	107-5	108-4
Woolworth	40 2	40-1	40 1
Zenith Radio	15 1	..	15 1

MONTREAL STOCK PRICES GO LOWER

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP). — The stock market gave ground today and losses ranging from fractions to two points were recorded.

Constructions showed weakness with Dominion Bridge down 1 1-2 points and Asbestos and Algoma Steel backtracking fractions. National Steel Car slid 2 points, while Canadian Car, C.P.R. and Dominion Steel & Coal "B" eased narrowly.

Utilities fell in step with the majority and were narrowly down at the close. Papers were irregular. Prices of St. Lawrence Corporation and Dryden were off at the close.

Oils and the miscellaneous section were the only bright spots of the session. International Petroleum and Imperial Oil edged fractionally higher. Also tacking on slight additions were Ogilvie Flour, Canadian Celanese, Building Products and Gurd.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Assoc. Breweries, Com.	18	18½
Assoc. Breweries, Pfd	112	
Algoma Steel, Com.	14¼	15
Algoma Steel, Pfd.	95	97
Bathurst Paper	14	14¼
Building Products	16¼	16¾
Canadian Northern Power	16½	17¼
Canadian Steamships	7¼	7½
Canadian Steamships, Pfd	18	19¼
Can Car & Foundry	13	13¼
Cana Car & Foundry, Pfd.	24¼	25
Canadian Celanese, Pfd	28	27
Canadian Converters	15½	17½
Canadian Alcohol "A"	2¼	3
C.P.R.	6	6¼
Cockshutt Plow	7¼	6
Consolidated Smelters	46	
Crown Cork	25	
Distillers Seagrams, Com.	23¼	23½
Dominion Bridge	36	37
Dominion Coal, Com.	14¼	14
Dominion Coal, Pfd	21	21
Dominion Tar	6	6½
Dominion Tar, Pfd	86	87
Dominion Textiles	69	69½
Gatineau Power, Pfd	95	96½
Hamilton Bridge, New	6	7
General Steelwares, Com.	9¼	10
Hollinger	14¼	14½
Howard Smith	19	20
Howard Smith, Pfd.	101	103
Hudson Bay M. & S.	30	30½
Intl. Nickel	43	43½
Intl. Petroleum	21¼	21½
Lake of the Woods	23½	24
Massey-Harris	5¼	6
Montreal Cottons, Pfd	110	115
Montreal Power	31¼	31
National Breweries	36¼	39½
National Steel Car	68	69½
Noranda	74	75
Ogilvies	31¼	31½
Ottawa Power	15	15½
Penmans	58	60
Power Corpn	10	
Price Bros.	21	21
Price Bros. Pfd	78	79
Rolland Paper, V.T.	18	19
St. Lawrence Corpn., Pfd.	18	19
St. Lawrence Paper, Pfd.		44
Steel of Canada		80
Sherwin-Williams	12	13
Steel of Canada, Pfd.		80
United Steel	5¼	5¾
Curb		
Abitibi	180	185
Abitibi, Pfd	15½	16¼
Asbestos	25¼	25½
Bathurst "B"	4	4½
Brewers & Distillers	4¼	5
Canadian Sugar	33	33½
Canadian Maltina	36	37
Canadian Vinegars	13¼	14
Canadian Breweries	155	170
Canadian Breweries, Pfd	24	27
Canadian Vickers	6¼	7
Commercial Alcohol	3	3½
Consolidated Paper	6¼	7
Cub Aircraft	2¼	3
Donnaconna "A"	8	8½
Fairchild	5¼	6
Fleet Aircraft	6	6½
Ford "A"	19	19¼
Fraser Company	20	
Intl. Paint	3	3½
Intl. Paint, Pfd	16	18½
Massey-Harris, Pfd	54	56
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	95	97
Page Hersey	109	109

Gains Promotion in Firm's Service

A. E. S. WARRINGTON

WHO recently left, with his family, for Calgary. Mr. Warrington has been assistant merchandise manager in the Hudson's Bay Company store here for the past two and one-half years, and will resume similar duties for the company in the Alberta City.

	Bid	Asked
Royalite Oil	33¼	34
Hiram Walker	41¼	42¼
Hiram Walker, Pfd	20	20¼
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	170	172
Bank of Montreal	209	
Banque du Nationale	160	162

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
American Super Power		
American Gas Electric	36½	37
American Cyanamid	34¼	34
Aluminum Co. of America	148½	149½
Arkansas Natural Gas, Pfd	7	7½
B.A. Tobacco, Ordinary	20¼	20½
E. W. Bliss Corp	13	13½
Bunker Hill Sullivan	12½	13
Creole Petroleum	20¼	20½
Cities Service	4	4½
Electric Bond & Share	6¼	6½
Humble Oil Co	61	61½
Hygrade Food Products	2½	2¾
Lonestar Gas Company	9¼	9½
Newmont Mining	72½	72½
Premier Gold	1	1¼
Pioneer Gold	1½	1¾
Standard Oil of Kentucky	20½	20¾
St. Regis Paper	2½	3
Republic Aircraft	5½	6
United Gas Company	1¼	1½

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5 .. 1953	64.75	67.50
B.C. Pulp 6 .. 1950	81.50	
Brown Co. 5½ .. 1946	56.00	59.00
Calgary Power 5s 1960	104.50	
Canada Cement 4½s 1951	103.00	
Canada Steamship 5s 1957	91.00	94.75
C.P.R. 3 .. 1945	86.25	89.25
C.P.R. 3½ .. 1951	88.25	89.00
Dominion Tar 4½ 1951	100.00	102.50
Famous Players 4½ 1951	99.50	101.75
Gatineau Power 5 .. 1949	102.25	104.00
Maple Leaf 3½ 1958	74.00	76.00
Massey-Harris 4½ .. 1954	93.00	96.75
McColl-Frontenac 4½s 1949	101.50	103.25
Shawinigan 4½ 1961	100.50	
Simpsons Ltd 4½s 1951	100.50	102.25
United Grain Grws. 5½ 1949	97.75	99.75

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Butter, Quebec (92 score), 27 1-8 to 27 1-4. Eggs: Eastern "A" large, 22 1-2.

Butter futures: February 27 1-4a; March 27 3-8 to 27 5-8.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (CP).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board buying rate for United States dollars, 110.00 selling rate 111.00. Open market rates, Montreal in New York 87.92½; New York in Montreal 114.12½.

Belgium—19.99.
Denmark—19.33.
Finland—1.95.
France—2.29½.
Germany—40.25.
Greece—.73¾.
Hungary—19.30.
Italy—5.06.
Netherlands—53.09.
Norway—22.73.
Portugal—2.71.
Rumania—.73.
Sweden—23.83.
Switzerland—22.43.
Yugoslavia—2.35.
Argentina—Official 29.77; free, 22.90.
Brazil—Official 9.05, free 5.10.
Mexico—16.75.
Japan—23.49.
Hongkong—24.85.
Shanghai—7.85.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (CP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 3.99¾; cables 3.99½; sixty-day bills 3.97½; ninety-day bills 3.95½.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

PRICES LOWER IN WINNIPEG WHEAT

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31 (CP).—Despite an improved export interest in Canadian wheat, prices finished lower on Winnipeg wheat futures market today when Chicago values weakened in the late stages after showing fractional gains.

Final quotations were 1-4 cent down in all positions, May at 84 3-8, July 85 1-8 and October 86 1-8 cents a bushel.

Overseas sales of wheat were estimated at 600,000 bushels, believed to have been made to neutral European countries. Chicago finished 3-8 to 3-4 cent lower while Buenos Aires values remained about unchanged.

Exporters were credited with taking as much as 600,000 bushels of cash wheat for opening of navigation on the Great Lakes. Transactions included sales of Nos. 2, 3 and 4 Northern, Nos. 1 and 2 Garnet and No. 5 wheat.

Coarse grain traders had a quiet day.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	84⅝	84⅞	85⅛	84⅜	84⅜
July	85⅜	85½	86	85⅛	85⅛
Oct	86⅜	86⅜	86⅞	86	86⅛
Barley—					
May	52⅛	52	53⅛	52⅛	52⅛
July	51⅛	51⅛	52	50⅝	50⅝
Oats—					
May	40⅝	40	40¾	40⅜	40
July	38⅞	38⅜	38⅞	38⅛	39⅛
Oct	34⅛	34	34⅜	34⅛	34⅛
Rye—					
May		70	76	75⅛	75⅛
July		74⅛	74⅛	73	73⅞
Oct		a69	69⅛	68	69⅛

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
1 Northern	81
2 Northern	79⅛
3 Northern	77
Track	81
Oats—	
2 C.W.	42⅝
Track	42
Barley—	
1 C.W.	49
Track	52⅛
Rye—	
1 R.O.W.	72⅛
Track	72

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	97⅛	97⅛	97	96⅛	96
July	94	94⅛	94	93⅝	93⅝
Sept.	93	94	94⅛	93⅛	93⅛
Corn—					
May		56	56	55⅛	55
July		56⅛	56	56	55⅛
Sept.		55	57	59⅛	59⅝
Oats—					
May		38⅛	36	38⅛	38⅛
July		34⅛	34	33	34
Sept		32	32⅛	31	31
Rye—					
May		67⅝	68	67	67
July		66⅝	67⅛	66	67
Sept		67⅛	67	66	66⅛

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1941	5	105.50	106.50
	1943	5	110.125	111.125
	1944	4	109.00	110.00
	1945	4	105.50	106.50
	1946	4	109.125	110.125
	1949	3½	100.125	101.125
	1949	3	101.25	102.25
	1951	3½	99.375	100.375
	1952	4	99.50	100.50
	1955	3	[illegible]	106.25
	1958	3	95.875	96.875
	1958	4	95.125	96.125
	1959	4	108.625	109.625
	1966	3½	109.50	110.50
	Perp	3	97.625	98.625
	1967	3	98.25	99.25
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Grand Trunk	1962	3	94.50	96.00
	1962	4	106.25	106.75
Can. Nat. Rly.	1944	3	102.50	104.00
	1950	3	96.75	99.00
	1953	3	95.75	97.00
	1959	3	94.00	95.25
	1951	4	111.75	113.25
	1957	4	112.50	114.00
	1955	4½	114.75	116.25
	1954	5	114.25	116.75
July	1969	5	114.50	116.00
Oct	1969	5	116.50	118.00

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4 .. 1953	63.00	65.00
Alberta 5 .. 1955	66.50	68.50
British Columbia 4½ 1957	99.00	
British Columbia 4 1953	101.75	104.00
British Columbia 5 .. 1952	104.00	
Manitoba 4 .. 1990	93.25	95.25
Manitoba 5 .. 1959	100.00	102.00
New Brunswick 4 .. 1961	102.50	103.00
Nova Scotia 4 .. 1952	107.00	109.50
Ontario 4 .. 1950	109.25	111.25
Quebec 4½ 1959	103.50	106.50
Saskatchewan 4½ 1951	79.50	81.50
Saskatchewan 5½ 1952	65.00	67.50
Saskatchewan 5½ 1952	68.25	91.00

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½ 1956		93.00
Bolivia 7s 1959	3.00	3.75
Chile 6s 1961	13.25	15.25
Colombia 6s 1961	29.25	30.75
Germany 4½ 1965	8.00	9.00
Italy 7s 1951	69.00	70.50
Japan 6½ 1954	79.75	79.75
Peru 6s 1961	9.25	10.00
Sydney 5½ 1955	93.00	88.50
United Kingdom 4s 1990	96.50	

Above prices in New York.

BANK CLEARINGS

Victoria bank clearings for the month of January totaled $7,211,529; for the corresponding month last year $6,948,712.

NARROW RANGE IN TORONTO STOCKS

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP).—Stocks shuffled over a narrow range in today's Toronto Stock Exchange operations.

Two recent listings, the common and preferred of Modern Containers, Ltd., advanced a point each to new highs and sizable gains were posted by Canadian Bakeries preferred, Bank of Commerce, Dominion Bank, Consumers Gas, Gatineau Power preferred, Honey Dew, Page-Hersey, Simpsons "A" and Western Canada Flour preferred.

Losses of a point or more came out for Alberta Pacific Grain preferred, Beatty Bros. "A," Massey-Harris preferred, Ottawa Car, the Steel of Canada issues and Supersilk preferred.

Coniaurum Gold weakened 10 and losses of 3 were netted by Mining Corporation, Kerr-Addison, San Antonia, Sheep Creek and Lamaque weakened 15.

A loss of 1-4 showed for Lakeshore. Penny golds showing mild weakness were Bidgood-Kirkland, Francoeur, Paymaster and Wood-Cadillac.

Steep Rock slipped back to 2.29 for a net loss of 3. Falconbridge lost 5 and Noranda and Smelters were up 1-4 to 1-2 and Nickel weakened 1-4 to 43 1-4.

Losses of 3 for Home and Foothills and a gain of 2 cents for Calgary & Edmonton left the Western Oils slightly off from the previous close. Trading in the group was quiet.

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.05	.05½
Ajax	.20	.22
Aldermac	.30	.31
Bagamac	.09	.09
Base Metals	.24	.27
Beattie	1.10	1.12
Big Missouri	.10	.11
Bobjo	.09½	.08½
Bralorne	10.75	11.00
Buffalo Ankerite	8.15	8.50
C. & E. Corpn	2.10	2.15
Canadian Malartic	.75½	.77
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.48	2.50
Castle Tretheway	.66	.70
Central Patricia	2.46	2.47
Chemical Research	.34	.43
Chibougamou	.12	.15
Dome	27.25	28.25
Eldorado	1.01	1.05
Falconbridge	4.15	4.20
God's Lake	.55	.57
Gunnar	.56	.59
Hardrock	1.23	1.25
Hollinger	14.65	14.75
Home Oil	2.76	2.79
Howey	.39	.39
Hudson Bay M. & S.	29.87	31.00
Intl. Nickel	43.25	
Kirkland Lake	1.40	1.41
Lakeshore	28.00	28.00
Leitch Gold	.80	.82
Little Long Lac	2.00	2.25
McIntyre	52.00	52.75
McKenzie Red Lake	1.40	1.41
McLeod Cockshutt	2.17	2.20
McWatters	.49½	.51
Minina Corpn	1.15	1.22
Moneta	.84	.89
Morris Kirkland	.07½	.07¾
Nipissing	1.25	1.29
Noranda		76.00
O'Brien	1.51	1.59
Pamour	2.05	2.10
Powell Rouyn	1.35	1.38
Paymaster	.40	.46½
Perron Gold	2.02	2.05
Pickle Crow	3.90	3.95
Pioneer	2.10	2.12
Premier	1.35	1.38
Reno	.38	.41
Royalite Oil	33.00	34.25
San Antonio	2.38	2.40
Sherritt-Gordon	.95	.98
Siscoe	.75½	.77
Sladen Malartic	.44	.50
Sudbury Basin	1.87	1.95
Sullivan	.89	.92
Sylvanite	3.30	3.35
Uchi Lake	.87	.90
Ventures	4.10	4.20
Waite Amulet	5.75	5.90
Wright-Hargreaves	7.80	7.85
Macassa	4.55	4.60

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	166	167
Brazilian Traction	8½	9
Brewing Corp		26½
Brewers & Distillers	4¼	4½
B.A. Oil	23	
B.C. Power "A"	27¼	27
B.C. Power "B"	2	2½
Building Products	16½	
Canada Cement	7¼	7
Canadian Malting	36	37
Can Car & Foundry	13	13
Can Industrial Alcohol A	2¼	2½
Canadian Pacific	6	6¼
Cockshutt Plow	6	6
Consumers Gas	173	177
Distillers-Seagrams	23¼	23½
Dominion Bridge	36¼	38
Dominion Stores	5	5½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6¼	7
Ford of Canada	19	19½
Gatineau Power, Com	15½	16
General Steelwares		10
Gatineau Power, Pfd	9¼	
Gypsum	4¼	
Hamilton Bridge	6¼	6¾
Hiram Walker, Com.	41	42¼
Imperial Oil	14¼	14½
Imperial Tobacco	15¼	15½
Intl. Nickel	21¼	21½
Intl. Pete	21¼	21½
Lake of the Woods	23	24
Laura Secord	12	13
Massey-Harris, Com	5¼	5½
McColl-Frontenac, Com.	9	9¼
Montreal Power	31¼	
National Breweries	36¼	37
National Steel Car	61	
Ogilvie	31	32
Page Hersey	108	109
Power Corpn	10¼	
Shawinigan	23	23
Steel of Canada, Com	79	80
Steel of Canada, Pfd		79
Bank		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	170	172
Bank of Montreal		210
Bank of Nova Scotia		310
Royal Bank		195½

Metal Markets

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP).—Tin spot £237 10s bid, £237 15s asked, future £237 5s bid, £237 15s asked.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP).—Copper steady; electrolytic spot 11.62 1-2 to 12.00, export f.a.s. N.Y. 11.60. Tin barely steady; spot and nearby 45.75, forward 45.37 1-2. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.25 to 5.30, East St. Louis 5.10. Zinc steady, East St. Louis spot and forward 5.50. Quicksilver 180.00 to 182.50 nominal.

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Spot: Copper electrolytic 12.50, tin 61 5-8, lead 5.50; zinc 5.65; antimony 15.25; per 100 pounds f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Bar Gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

Base Metals Feature Of Active Buying on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31 (CP).—Fairly active buying of base metal shares featured an otherwise quiet session of Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Prices were unchanged to mixed and transfers totaled 85,090 shares.

Grandview topped active base metals to finish 1 cent higher at 13 1-2 after selling up to 14 1-2 in early dealings. Lucky Jim with a turnover of 33,000 shares closed at 1 7-8, fractionally higher than Tuesday's closing bid, and other issues were unchanged.

Bralorne Gold declined 5 cents to 10.95, while Reno at 40 and Privateer at 84 were each down 2 1-2 cents. Premier slipped 2 to 1.35 and Gold Belt was unchanged at 23 1-2.

Home Oil lost 3 cents at 2.77 and Anglo-Canadian dipped 1 to 95. All other leading oils were quiet and unchanged.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE
(Boorman Investment C., Ltd.)

Mines	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	.10½	.11
Bralorne	10.90	11.00
Bridge River Cons.	.01½	
Bluebird	.00	
Cariboo Gold	2.45	2.50
Dentonia	.01¼	.01¾
Fairview Amalgamated	.01¼	.01½
Federal Gold	.00¾	.00½
Golconda	.04	
Goldbelt	.22	.24
Grandview	.14	.14
Grull Wihksne	.02½	.04
Hedley Mascot	.51½	.55
Home Gold	.00½	.00¾
Indian	.01	.01½
Island Mountain	1.00	1.05
Kootenay Belle	.70	.73
Lucky Jim	.01½	.02
Minto	.01¼	.02
Nicola	.02½	.03
Noble Five	.01½	
Pacific Nickle	1.80	1.90
Pilot Gold	.00½	
Pioneer	2.10	2.15
Porter Idaho		.03
Premier	1.35	1.39
Privateer	.83	.84
Premier Border	.00¾	.01
Quatsino Copper	.02½	.03
Relief Arlington	.12½	.13
Reno	.40	.41
Rufus Argenta	.00½	
Sally		.08
Salmon Gold	.02½	
Sheep Creek	1.17	1.19
Silbak Premier	1.12	1.16
Silvercrest	.00¾	.01½
Vidette	.04½	.05
Wellington	.01½	
Whitewater	.03	.03½
Ymir Yankee Girl	.04	.05
Oils		
Anglo-Canadian		1.00
Associated	.02½	.04
Amalgamated	.00½	.00¾
Anaconda	.06½	.09½
A P Cons	.19	.22
Brown	.19	.19
Baltac	.01½	
Commoil	.29	
C. & E. Corp.	2.08	
Calmont	.39½	.41
Commonwealth	.29½	.30
Dalhousie	.45	
Davies Pete	.25	.29
Extension	.24	.25
Foothills	.06½	
Freehold	.02	.02½
Home Oil	2.72	2.80
Madison	.03	.04
Mar Jon	.01½	.02½
Mercury	.06½	
McDougall Segur	.11½	.12½
Mid-West Pete	.02½	
McLeod	.09	.06
Model		.24
Monarch	.08	.09
National Pete	.07	.16
Okalta	1.10	
Okalta, Pfd.	22.00	
Pacific Pete	.39	.39
Prairie Royalties	.24	
Royal Canadian	.19½	
Royal Crest	.09	.10½
Sunset		.24
South-West Pete	.50	.60
United Oil	.07½	.08
Vanalta	.05	
Vulcan	.32	
Westflank	.04	.05
Industrials		
Brewers & Distillers	4.00	
Capital Estates	1.75	2.00
Coast Breweries	1.25	1.30
Intl. Coal & Coke	.30	
United Distillers	.75	1.00

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	166	167
Brazilian T. L. & P.	8½	9
B.A. Oil	23	23¼
B.C. Power "A"	27¼	27½
Burlington Steel		13½
Canada Malting	36	37
Canadian Pacific	6	6¼
Con. Mining & Smelting	[illegible]	46½
Dominion Bridge	37¼	38
Fanny Farmer	26¼	26½
Ford "A"	19	19½
Gatineau Power, Pfd	95	96
Hiram Walker G. & W.	41	42½
Hiram Walker G. & W. Pfd	20½	20¾
Imperial Oil	14¼	14½
Imperial Tobacco	15½	16
Intl. Nickel	43	43½
Intl. Petroleum	21¼	21½
Loblaw Groc. "A"	27½	29¼
McColl-Frontenac Pfd.	96¼	97½
Montreal Power, Com.	30¾	31¼
Royalite Oil	33	34½
Shawinigan W. & P.		23½
Steel of Canada	79½	80
Bralorne	10½	11
Dome	29	28¼
Hollinger Cons	14½	14¾
Lakeshore	27½	29
McIntyre Porcupine	50	56¼
Noranda	75	77
Pickle Crow	3.85	3.95
Premier	1.35	1.38
Wright-Hargreaves	7.75	8.00
Bank of Montreal	209	210

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622:

Grade "A" large .17
Grade "A" medium .15
Grade "A" pullet .12

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large .21
Grade "A" medium .19
Grade "A" pullet .16

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP).—British stock closings in sterling.

Babcock & Wilcox, 44s 9d; Celanese Corp. of Am., £6 5-8; Cent. Mining, £14 1-4; Consol Gold Fields, 47s 6d; Crown, £14 1-2; East Geduld, £11; Metal Box, 78s 9d; Mex Eagle, 5s 10 1-2d; Mining Trust, 2s; Rand, £7 3-8; Springs, 25s.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £74 1-2; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £99; British Funding 4s, 1960-90, £111 3-4.

Balance of Trade In Canada's Favor

OTTAWA, Jan. 31 (CP). — Canada had a favorable balance of trade in 1939 of $184,966,179, compared with $171,232,779 in 1938, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

A marked upswing was recorded in the country's external trade, rising to $1,686,577,247, compared with $1,526,135,487 in 1938, a gain of $160,641,760.

Exports, exclusive of gold, rose to $935,921,713 from $848,684,133 in 1938, while imports increased to $751,065,534 from $677,451,354.

BUILDING INCREASE

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP).—Building contracts awarded throughout Canada in January totaled $8,844,700, according to figures compiled by McLean Building Reports, Limited, an increase of 21.8 per cent over the January, 1939, total of $7,260,800.

Figures for British Columbia were $607,900.

SILVER MARKETS

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—Silver futures closed unchanged today. No sales. Bid 37.75.

LONDON, Jan. 31 (CP).—Bar silver 21 3-8d, up 5-16 of a penny. (Equivalent 38.76 cents on the dollar basis $4.03).

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, Jan. 31 (CP).—The Foreign Exchange Control Board announced today's exchange rates were unchanged at:

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FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 (CP).—British and foreign exchange, nominal rates between banks only:

China, Hongkong dollars, .2753; Finland, finmark, .0205; France, franc, .025141; Great Britain, pound, 4.43-4.47; India, rupee, .3365; Italy, lire, .0561; Japan, yen, .2609; Yugoslavia, dinar, .0261.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

General Steel Wares, Limited, 7 per cent cumulative participating preferred, quarterly $1.75, payable February 20 to shareholders of record February 10.

General Steel Wares, Limited, cumulative participating dividend of 7 cents in respect of the year 1938, payable February 20 to shareholders of record February 10.

PASSES AT WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31 (CP).—Founder and president of the Icelandic National League and pioneer minister, Rev. Dr. R. Petursson, sixty-two, died here yesterday. Last year he was presented with the Grand Cross of the Falcons by the King of Denmark and the Government of Iceland. He was editor of the Icelandic National Magazine.

TO CONTEST RIDING

TORONTO, Jan. 31 (CP).—Hugh Plaxton, Liberal member of Parliament for Toronto Trinity until dissolution, announced yesterday he will contest the riding in the Federal elections on March 26 against Arthur Roebuck, Liberal member of the Ontario Legislature for Toronto Bellwoods, and "all comers."

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CIVILIANS WIN SOCCER MATCH

Bissell and Dallimore Score Goals in a 2-0 Victory Over Canadian Scottish

Scoring once in each half, Manager Charlie Lewis' civilian soccer players yesterday defeated the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, 2-0, in an exhibition football match played at Royal Athletic Park.

Alec Dallimore, young left winger, bagged the opening stanza marker near the end of the half, and Daryl Bissell headed home the only tally of the final session.

For thirty minutes of the opening half play was fairly even, with opposing forward lines passing up fine scoring opportunities. The first marker came when Dallimore breasted the leather into the Canadian Scottish net when the defence failed to clear a civilian attack.

In the second half the eventual winners had an edge in the territorial play, but "Red" McMillan, guarding the framework for the soldiers, proved a strong last line of defence. He turned aside a number of good drives by opposing forwards, but was soundly beaten by Bissell's header.

Near the end of the game the "kilties" made a game effort to prevent a shutout, but their every dangerous offensive was halted by the civilian defence and Wally Rowe in goal.

The teams will play a return match next week. Shrimpton refereed and the line-ups follow:

Civilians—Rowe, D. Gent, K. Gent, W. Sadler, Oakman, Byatt, Holness, Duncan, Cooper, Peers, Dallimore, Ball and Bissell.

2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish—McMillan, Anderson, Cann, Bland, Stothard, Jackson, Crofton, Aikins, Hewlett, Galbraith, McLellan and Warman.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Jan. 31.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
High Place (Taylor) ... $7.40 $4.80 $3.60
Burr Hickman (Trahan) ... 15.60 8.80
Barbara B. (Gonzales) ... 4.40
Time, 1:12 3-5. Also ran: Ali Mi, Good Omen, Busy Lutrecia, What Now, Butter, Prum, Ultidue, Masterpiece.

SECOND RACE—Mile and one-eighth:
Respha (Elam) ... $7.20 $4.40 $3.40
Pompitt (Mora) ... 8.80 5.20
Witful (McDonald) ... 3.40
Time, 1:58. Also ran: Busby, Askaris, Billabong, Margaret Jones, Ace of Spades, Bold General, Desafuero, Snug, Noahs Pride.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Idle Worker (Stroud) ... $18.80 $8.40 $5.00
Good Han (Perkins) ... 4.20 3.40
Princes Pad (Camp) ... 4.00
Time, 1:14 4-5. Also ran: At Home, Notation, Margie Wrack, Onaboy, Grace Grier, My O My, Incredible, Irvin H., Miss Entry.

FOURTH RACE—Three furlongs:
C. C. Curtiss (Mojena) ... $8.20 $3.60 $2.80
Pete Jr. (Smith) ... 8.00 3.80
Louisiana Girl (Trahan) ... 2.40
Time, :35 2-5. Also ran: Dixie Dew, Weaving Thru, Johnny Greenock, Pitirpool.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Strolling Home (Glaua) ... $6.80 $4.00 $2.80
Pompous Genie (Trahan) ... 7.20 4.00
Air Eddy (Taylor) ... 2.80
Time, 1:49 1-5. Also ran: Stormy Sea, Fleeting Moon, Cross Ruff, Jane D., Deep Rock, Ramrod, Mekong, May Miss.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
O. E. Mullen (Gonzales) ... $10.40 $4.20 $3.40
nterlace (Lindberg) ... 2.40 2.80
Man In The Moon (Taylor) ... 3.80
Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: May Dis, Pink Gal, Mountain Echo, Long X., Culver City, Millshow.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Individual (Milligan) ... $7.80 $4.00 $2.80
Chosn (Taylor) ... 5.20 3.20
Celestine (Green) ... 3.00
Time, 1:48 1-5. Also ran: Ellabee, Abbots Hour, Cataweep, My Regards, Cardibre, Inductor, Ebony Parasol, Nights End, Only Son.

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First post, 12 noon.

Weather clear, track fast.

MOORE TRIUMPHS

Ed Moore captured the first of a series of backstroke competitions for possession of the Norman Hill Cup last night at the Crystal Garden pool. These events are staged each week for ten weeks under the direction of the Pacific Swimming Club. Dave Hurn finished second and Bill King a close third.

SCHMIDT WIDENS LEAD IN SCORING

By The Canadian Press.

A goal and an assist, picked up as Boston Bruins blanked Chicago Black Hawks, 5-0, sent Centreman Milt Schmidt five points ahead of the idle Bryan Hextall, of Rangers, Tuesday night in the National Hockey League's individual scoring race. Murray Armstrong, of the Americans, also improved his position by scoring once and aiding in two other goals as his team defeated Montreal Canadiens, 4-1.

	G.	A.	Pts.
Schmidt, Boston	16	18	34
Hextall, Rangers	18	11	29
Drillon, Toronto	16	12	28
Dumert, Boston	13	14	27
Armstrong, Americans	13	14	27
N. Colville, Rangers	12	15	27
Blake, Canadiens	13	12	25
Bauer, Boston	9	16	25

Royal Arcanums Capture Match

Royal Arcanums captured a close game in the Second Division of the City Table Tennis League last night, at the Crystal Garden, by nosing out Sylvester U-Drive, 19-17. Little Larks, the pace-setters in the division, scored an easy triumph over Youngs Cafe, 31-5, while the Aces beat out a short-handed Spencer's team, 14-5.

The results follow:

Spencers—W. Payne 2, K. Elston 2, A. Downham 0, Elston and Payne 1.

Aces—Gagliardi 6, Stewart 2, Joyce 6, Gagliardi and Stewart 0.

Sylvester U-Drive—A. Sced, E. Sced 7, Erickson 2, Kay 5, Sced and Sced 2, Erickson and Kay 0.

Royal Arcanums—Mackenzie 6, Ricketts 4, Pretty 4, Smith 3, Mackenzie and Smith 1, Ricketts and Pretty 1.

Little Larks—Prior 7, Elworthy 7, Campbell 6, McGregor 8, Campbell and Prior 2, McGregor and Elworthy 1.

Youngs Cafe—Mrs. Greenwood 3, Mrs. Robinson 1, M. Jarvis 0, J. Jarvis 0, Greenwood and Robinson 1, Jarvis and Jarvis 0.

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MORTIMER AND CHARLIE — *Take It or Leave It* — By Edgar Bergen

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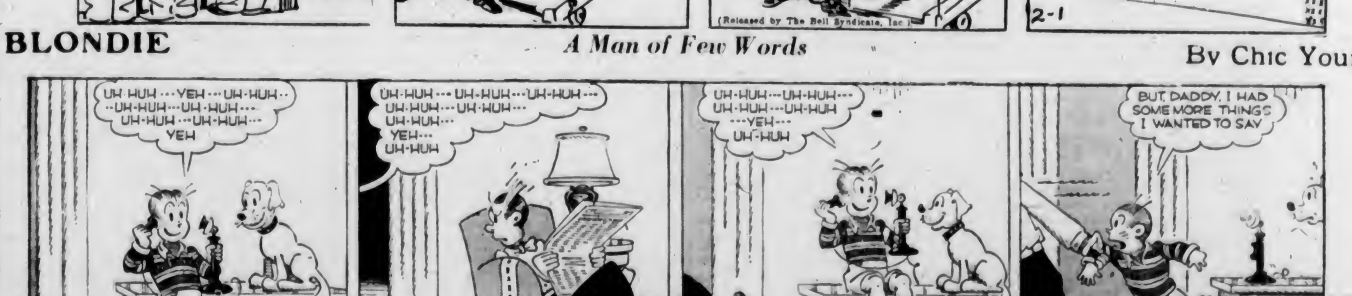

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2 DEATHS

SHAW—On Saturday, January 27, 1940, at Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. Ella Gertrude Shaw, widow of Nathaniel P. Shaw, born at Fredericton, N.B.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Thursday, February 1 (private). Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

ETHERINGTON—There passed away in this city, Tuesday, January 30, after a lengthy illness, Richard William Etherington. The late Mr. Etherington had been a resident of this city for the past fifty years. He leaves to mourn his passing one son, of this city.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning, February 2, at 11 o'clock. Rev. James Hood will conduct the services, after which the remains will be laid at rest in the Ross Bay Cemetery. The S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

GILLESPIE—On January 28, 1940, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Alice Josephine Gillespie, beloved wife of George Kenneth Gillespie, of Lake Cowichan, B.C., born in San Francisco, Cal., and a resident of this province for about fifty years. Besides her husband, she leaves three sons and one daughter, George H., Malcolm G. and Alexander C. and Mrs. Lucile Hemmingson, a granddaughter, Miss Anita Louise Hemmingson, and a sister, Miss Louise Marboeuf.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel from where the funeral will be held on Thursday at 3.30 p.m., Rev. Arthur Bischlager officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WAUDE—There passed away on Tuesday evening, at the family residence, 161 Robertson Street, Sarah Waude, aged seventy-one years, wife of Edward Waude. The late Mrs. Waude was born in Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-two years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, one son, Bertram Waude, of 687 Oliver Street, and one daughter, Mrs. F. M. Gauld, of Robertson Street; also three grandchildren.

The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, where funeral services will be conducted on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Alan Gardiner will officiate. Interment will take place in Colwood Burial Park.

DALES—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, January 29, 1940, there passed away at the age of eighty-six years, Mrs. Louisa Waters Dales, of 1248 Fort Street. Born at Sharon, Ont., and a resident of this city for the past forty-five years. There remain to survive her passing, one daughter, Mrs. Viola MacDonald, with whom she resided, and three granddaughters, Mrs. L. Grant, 1822 Fern Street, Mrs. R. J. Morris, 1747 Fulton Avenue, and Mrs. J. W. Hill, 1316 Carnew Street; also eleven great-grandchildren.

The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral service will be conducted on Thursday, February 1, 1940, at 3 o'clock. Rev. N. J. Crees will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. (Vancouver, B.C., and Newmarket, Ont., papers please copy.)

HAUGHTON—Edward James Haughton, former district superintendent of the Radio Branch, Department of Transport, in Victoria, passed away January 30 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged sixty-eight years. The late Mr. Haughton was a native of Dublin, Ireland, and had been a resident of Victoria for more than forty-five years, his late residence being Cathay Apartments. He is survived by his widow, in England, one son, Donald, in Victoria, and four daughters, Gertrude, and Mrs. N. Gayette, also in Victoria, and Marion and Barbara, in England.

The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Friday afternoon, February 2, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Hugh McLeod, pastor of the First United Church, will conduct the service, after which the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MARSH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Wednesday, January 31, 1940, there passed away, at the age of eighty years, George Thomas Marsh, 2542 Graham Street. Born at Canterbury, Kent, England, the late Mr. Marsh came to Canada twenty-five years ago, coming direct to Victoria. There remain to survive his passing, besides his loving wife, at the residence two sons, Joseph Edward Marsh and George Thomas Marsh; one daughter, Mrs. S. Sims, all of Victoria; twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; also several relatives in Kent, England.

The remains are resting at the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, February 3, 1940, at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. Connell will officiate.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

JOHNSON—On January 21, 1940, at Victoria, B.C., Lucy Ann Johnson, aged ninety-four years, born at Leek, Stafford, England, but a resident of this city for over sixty years.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, at 2 p.m., in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, Rev. J. R. Fyfe officiating. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CHARLTON—At the Kamloops Hospital, on January 28, after a short illness, Annie, beloved wife of O. L. Charlton, Celista, B.C., formerly of Victoria and Vancouver. The late Mrs. Charlton, who was in her sixty-fourth year, was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., moving with her parents to Victoria in 1890. She leaves to mourn her passing, besides her husband and one son, Darwin, at the family home, three daughters, Mrs. Walter Nelson, of Celista, Mrs. Captain Norman Bennett, of Vancouver; Mrs. Fred Henderson, of Victoria, and twelve grandchildren; also five sisters, Mrs. J. N. Freeman, of Cloverdale, B.C.; Mrs. C. S. Dayfort, of Georgetown, Ont.; Mrs. W. C. Cronk, the Misses E. and I. Chapman, and one brother, J. Walton Chapman, of Victoria. A second brother, John Chapman, of Victoria, predeceased her in March, 1938.

Burial took place in Celista Cemetery, January 30.

HARTLEY—At the family residence, on Monday, January 29, John Reginald Hartley, aged sixty-one years, of 855 Vancouver Street. The late Mr. Hartley was born in Herne Hill, London, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last twenty-one years, and for the last five years was employed in the auditing department of the Provincial Government. He is mourned by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. D. Harrison, of Kimberley, B.C., and Mrs. J. P. Burbridge, of 1648 Ross Street, Victoria, and five grandsons. He was a member of Britannia Lodge No. 73, A.F. & A.M., also Past Patron of Victoria Chapter No. 17, O.E.S., and Past Grand Patron of British Columbia.

The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home and the funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, from Christ Church Cathedral at 2 o'clock. The Right Reverend Lord Bishop of Columbia will conduct the service and interment will be Colwood Burial Park. (Edmonton papers please copy.)

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LOOK! THE SASKATCHEWAN ASSOCIAtion social reunion and dance, A.O.F. Hall, Feb. 5, at 8 p.m. Admission for non-members 35c, by ticket only. Tickets may be obtained from Mr. Frank Greenway, Surgical Supplies, 764 Fort Street, Pollock Bros., florists, 1315 Douglas Street, and Mr. J. Neeley, manager, Douglas Hotel. Members pay at the door.

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WILL PAY CASH FOR PLAYER PIANO, or trade. Box 8470, Colonist.

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42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

42A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

CHICKS FROM GOVERNMENT BLOODtested birds. Leghorns, $10—106. Hampshire Cross or Reds, $11—106. Free delivery. Rowntree, Royal Oak, Keating 49R.

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FOR SALE—20 NEW HAMPSHIRE, 20 Leghorn pullets. 3287 Alder.

SUPER-QUALITY HATCHERY-APproved, R.O.P.-sired Leghorn chicks, sexed pullets and cockerels. Hampshire and Sussex chicks and crosses. Catalogue. Doukan's Pioneer Poultry Farm, Cobble Hill.

42B HORSES

TWENTY HEAD HORSES FOR SALE. Turner, Sayward Farm, Royal Oak.

42C CATTLE

FOR SALE — A FRESH COW. PHONE Belmont 29 Q.

WANTED TWO FRESH GRADE COWS, heavy producers. Box 8480, Colonist.

42F DOGS

SMOOTH AND WIRE TERRIERS, COCKers, Pekingese, Pomeranian, also cheaper pets. Pet Shop, 1412 Douglas. G 5721.

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A FEW TONS HAY AND STRAW, cheap. Polson, Keating 8R.

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10 BAGS SEED POTATOES, NETT AND Burbanks, $10. Exchange for fat hens. Box 8454, Colonist.

47 ROOM AND BOARD

EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION, PRIvate home in quiet residential district, walking distance to town. Breakfast only, or all meals, as desired. E 6001.

PLEASANT FRONT ROOM WITH GOOD board, close in. Phone G 2470.

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48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

CLEAN-LIVING YOUNG MAN WISHES room and board. Private home preferred. Box 8518, Colonist.

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49 ROOMS TO RENT

OXFORD HOUSE, 740½ Fort—Housekeeping rms., h.-c. water, $2.60 wk. G 5188.

49A FURNISHED

CECIL Hotel, 1322 Blanshard St. Room with or without bath. Reasonable rates.

FAIRFIELD HOTEL, OPPOSITE CITY Hall — Comfortable furnished rooms from $3. Housekeeping privileges. Props., Scruton & Nunn.

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CLIFTON HOUSE—L.H. OR SLEEPING, $2.50 week up. 1316½ Broad. E 8034.

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51B UNFURNISHED

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APARTMENT, FURNISHED—TWO BEDrooms, sitting-room, electric kitchen; garage, hot water, heat; telephone. $45. 1609 Gladstone Avenue.

ATTRACTIVE, FURNISHED, HEATED two-room suite and kitchenette. Adults only. Close in. E 2518.

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FURNISHED, GROUND FLOOR, PRIVATE entrance, open fireplace, range with sawdust burner, near sea, park and car. $35, extra bedroom $10. Box 8056, Colonist.

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55A FURNISHED

A FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, NICELY furnished, 2942 Colquitz Avenue, $27.50 month. G 6808.

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED TO RENT, SMALL ACREAGE or large lots, with garden, house furnished or partly, preferably on the waterfront with beach. Can give full time to care of garden and premises. United Church and school in the vicinity. Box 8517, Colonist.

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57B UNFURNISHED

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65A FOR SALE

ATTENTION—COMPLETE LINE OF Goodrich batteries, heaters and tires. Also all Winter automobile accessories. Long, easy terms. No credit investigation, red tape or delays. Your purchase installed at once. Terceson Bros., 1111 Blanshard Street.

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— Open Evenings —

WILSON & CABELDU
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And at Duncan

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SEE THESE SUPER VALUES

	Today's Value	Sale Price	Your Saving
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1936 Studebaker Dict. 6 De Luxe Sedan	$800	$545	$255
1936 Studebaker Com. 8 De Luxe Sedan	$1100	$795	$305
1937 Plymouth Coupe	$800	$645	$155
1936 Chevrolet Coupe	$900	$720	$180
1936 Hudson 8 De Luxe Sedan	$1100	$895	$205
1937 Hudson Terraplane Coach	$1050	$820	$230
1936 Graham De Luxe Sedan	$750	$565	$185
1934 Chevrolet ½-Ton Panel Delivery	$550	$345	$205
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WE HAVE LISTED BELOW FOUR CARS, THAT, IN OUR OPINION, ARE EXCEPTIONAL VALUE

Reliable Transportation at a Minimum Cost, All in Running Order.

1928 ESSEX COACH $65
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— Terms —

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1938 FORD V-8 SEDAN, de luxe model. Large trunk, dual tail lights, window swipes, sun visors and horns. In the best mechanical condition. Small mileage. A snap at

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$50—CHEVROLET TOURING
$75—CHRYSLER SEDAN
$95—NASH SEDAN
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$395—AUSTIN COACH (12,000 miles)
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Trade-in allowances at this Great Used Car Sale are based on rising market values, but prices are NOT. You get the double benefit. Here are a few examples—many, many others:
1939 DE LUXE PONTIAC SEDAN $895
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1938 PONTIAC DE LUXE SEDAN. This car is equal to new $895
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Yates Street at Quadra
Pontiac Cars — G.M.C. Trucks

MAKE UP AN OFFER
1928 PONTIAC SEDAN. We're asking $95
1927 WHIPPET "4" SEDAN. We're asking $95
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BOTH CARS EQUIPPED WITH AIR-CONDITIONING AND IN EXCELLENT ORDER
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1940 Licence With All of These
CHANDLER SEDAN $95
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1939 DODGE DE LUXE SEDAN PERfect condition, private owner. Sacrifice, $650. Phone E 3373. 8 to 9.30 p.m.

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68 WANTED

CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING
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SELLING YOUR CAR?
LEAVE YOUR CAR AT OUR SHOWrooms or let us have the particulars and we will effect a quick cash sale.
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67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

A FULLY CONVERTED STAR MOTOR and transmission, propeller, shafting, stuffing boxes, 20-gallon gas tank, rudder, and numerous other brass fittings. $85. Brentwood Mercantile, Ltd., Brentwood, V.I.

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FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, SMALL SIZE, very low price. See us. Ship Chandlers, Ltd., 1314 Wharf Street. E 1141.

75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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CONTAINING ten suites, four bathrooms, five toilets. This apartment block offers a wonderful opportunity for immediate and profitable business.
PRICE $5500
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$3500—CONFECTIONERY AND lunch counter business. Good location. Property included. Living quarters, four rooms.

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REVENUE
FOUR SUITES, ON WATERFRONT, showing a net return of $650 per year. Owner wishes a good modern home and will pay difference.
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A BUNGALOW, four rooms and bathroom, also pantry, sunroom, cement basement, garage, blinds, linoleum, electric fixtures. Nice garden; high location, low taxes, $10 yearly. Near bus, city fares. Cash offer $1195
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A BUNGALOW, five rooms and bathroom. High location, Quadra-Cook district. Price $1500
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ON TRUTCH STREET, WITHIN THE mile circle. Contains nine rooms with four fireplaces. Downstairs comprises reception hall, wood-glass living-room, large dining-room, cozy den, pantry, kitchen and laundry room. Upstairs there are five good-size bedrooms with closets, a bathroom and a separate toilet. The basement, with stone foundation and concrete floor, contains the hot-air heating system with Hart oil burner and a toilet. The lot is 50 x 164 feet, with lane in rear, on which is the garage. This house is well built, in quite good condition, and $3250
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Real Estate Dept.
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OAK BAY — OWNER WILL SACRIFICE practically new stucco bungalow, five rooms, hardwood floors, tiled sink, furnace, cement basement. Price $2750

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SPLENDIDLY - BUILT, TWO - STORIED, stucco home, situated on quiet secluded street, south side Oak Bay Avenue. Extra large living-room (hardwood floor), dining-room, sunroom, kitchen and pantry on ground floor. Five bedrooms and two bathrooms upstairs. Full cement basement, automatic heating. Very nice garden. Separate garage. House in first-class condition inside and out. Price $4750
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THIS VERY ATTRACTIVE HIGH-CLASS eight-roomed residence, consisting of reception room, dining-room, den and kitchen, and four-piece bedroom toilet, separate from bathroom; two open fireplaces, hot-water heating, hardwood floors throughout; up to the ground floor, large garage; property nicely treed, reasonable taxes, immediate possession; terms, $1,500 cash, balance to arrange on reasonable terms. Full details at the office.
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$5750—HIGH QUADRA, SEMI-BUNgalow, eight rooms, six rooms on ground floor, two bathrooms. House in good condition, inside and out. Good basement, furnace. Separate garage. Two lots, 60 x 120 each. Well laid out grounds with shade trees and ornamental shrubs. One must see this place to appreciate the value.

$400 CASH—SAANICH, THREE-ROOM and enclosed city light and water garage, fruit trees. Lot approximately quarter acre. Low taxes.
No Phone Information
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621 Broughton Street

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

HAVE BUYER FOR FIVE ACRES OR more, on Saanich waterfront, with dwelling, five to seven rooms. See T. B. Monk, J. H. Whittome & Co., Ltd., 118 Pemberton Building.

TO SELL OR TRADE
YOUR HOME, DUPLEX OR APARTMENT
See JOHNSTON & COMPANY, LTD.
1314 Broad St. Phone E 3241

WANTED—COTTAGE OR BUNGALOW. Have two lots in Oak Bay and car as down payment. Balance as rent. G 2812.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

HIGH SITE GORGE BUILDING LOTS, all conveniences, six-cent car fare; good soil; good district. $290 each. See T. B. MONK
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NOTICE is hereby given that on the 19th day of February next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer Beer Licence No. 5085, issued in respect to premises known as the Colwood Hotel, situate at Colwood, B.C., and upon land described and known as Lot One (1) of Section One (1), Esquimalt District, Vancouver Island, according to Plan No. 4410, Victoria Land Registration District in the Province of British Columbia, from Robert Butherland to Peter Hardie and Elizabeth Hardie, of Vancouver, B.C., the Transferees.
Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this 19th day of January, 1940.
PETER HARDIE.
ELIZABETH HARDIE.
Witness, D. T. Ashley.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT
Notice of Application for Consent to Transfer Club Licence to Other Premises
NOTICE is hereby given that on the expiration of this advertisement, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer Club Licence No. 1263, issued in respect of certain premises situate at 705 Pandora Avenue, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, upon lands described as South ½ lot 163 and West and South part of Lot 159, Victoria City, Victoria Land Registration Act, to certain premises situate at 945 Johnson Street, Victoria, aforesaid upon lands described as the westerly fifty feet of Lots 430 and 431, Victoria City, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia.
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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

2:30 p.m.—Cliff Nazarro, movie actor and double-talk expert, will be the guest star on the "It Happened in Hollywood" programme. KIRO, KNX, KSL, KVI.

5:30 p.m.—March-past of the famous Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment will be featured by the Canadian Grenadier Guards Band, during the programme, "On Parade." CBR.

6 p.m.—Claudette Colbert will star in "The Happy Year," an original drama by Arch Oboler, during her guest appearance on "Good News of 1940." KOMO, KPO, KFI.

8:30 p.m.—Lois Wann, youthful genius of the oboe, will be featured as soloist on "Musical Americana." She will appear with Deems Taylor, critic and composer, as master of ceremonies; the 100-piece orchestra conducted by Raymond Paige, and the twenty-four voice swing choir. KJR, KGO.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY
Morning—8:00, CBR, CJOR; 8:15, CFCT, KIRO; 9:00, KJR; 9:15, KOL; 11:00, CJOR; 12:00, KOL.
Afternoon—12:15, KJR; 12:30, CFCT, KIRO, CJOR; 1:00, CBR; 1:45, CBR; 3:45, KOL.
Evening—6:15, KJR; 6:30, CFCT; 7:00, CJOR; 7:15, KOL; 8:00, CBR, CJOR; 9:00, KOL; 9:30, KJR; 10:00, KOMO; 10:30, CJOR; 11:00, CBR, KOL.

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change)

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR).
Philip of Spain, Capt. Dobbole (KOMO).
Viennese Ensemble (KJR).
Rhythm and Romance (KIRO).
Breakfast Club (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Singers and Songs (CBR).
Young Dr. Malone (KJR).
Newsreel (KIRO).
Ranch Boys (CJOR).

8:30 A.M.—Rosa Lee, soprano (CBR).
Against the Storm (KOMO).
Morning Reveries (KJR).
Hits and Encores (KIRO).
Merry Moods (KOL).
Radio Rascals (CJOR).

Key Station Wave Lengths
C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
MUTUAL - DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1450).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600).

8:45 A.M.—Rakov's Orchestra (CBR).
Guiding Light (KOMO).
Christian Science Programme (KJR).
My Children (KIRO).
Medical Information Bureau (KOL).

9:00 A.M. — Eugene Conley, tenor (CBR).
Strings That Sing (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Kate Smith's Speaks (KIRO).
Ray Daughters (KOL).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

9:15 A.M.—Southernaires (CBR).
The Denning Sisters (KOMO).
Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR).
When a Girl Marries (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Morning Melodeers (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—B.C. Radio School (CBR).
Timeless Truth (KOMO).
National Farm and Home Hour (KJR).
Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO).
Ma Perkins (KOL).
The Gospel Singer (CJOR).

9:45 A.M.—Adopted Daughtry (KOMO).
Our Gal Sunday (KJR).
Carters of Elm Street (KOL).
The Golloons (CJOR).

10:00 A.M.—The Happy Gang (CBR).
Association (KOMO).
The Goldbergs (KIRO).
Mary's Friendly Garden (KOL).
Crime Quis (CJOR).

10:15 A.M.—Ellen Randolph (KOMO).
Mary Louise Roderick (KJR).
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO).
Smilin' Jack (CJOR).

10:30 A.M.—Hoosier Hop (CBR).
Patty Jean (KOMO).
Cecil Golly (KJR).
The Right to Happiness (KIRO).
Morning Melodies (KOL).
Stars of the Week (CJOR).

10:45 A.M.—Dr. Kate (KOMO).
Hoosier Hop (KJR).
Mary Lee Taylor (KIRO).
Peter McGregor (CJOR).

11:00 A.M.—Concert Orchestra (CBR).
Betty and Bob (KOMO).
School Broadcast (KJR).
Big Sister (KIRO).
World of Women (KOL).
News (CJOR).

11:15 A.M.—Songs for You (CBR).
A. Grimm's Daughter (KOMO).
Aunt Jenny's Stories (KIRO).
Manhatters (KOL).
The Buccaneers (CJOR).

11:30 A.M.—Silhouettes in Rhythm (CBR).
Valiant Lady (KOMO).
Life Begins (KIRO).
Dr. Hastings (KOL).
Singin' Sam (CJOR).

11:45 A.M.—United States Marine Band (CBR).
Hymns of All Churches (KOMO).
Organ Concert (KJR).
My Son and I (KIRO).
Musical Roundup (KOL).
On With the Dance (CJOR).

12:00 Noon—Musical Mosaic (CBR).
Mary Marlin (KOMO).
Orphans of Divorce (KJR).
Society Girl (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Dance Hour (CJOR).

12:15 P.M.—The Chase Twins (CBR).
Ma Perkins (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Businessmen's Committee (KOL).
P.-T.A. (CJOR).

12:30 P.M. — U.B.C. Concert Hour (CBR).
Pepper Young's Family (KOMO).
Department of Agriculture (KJR).
News at Noon (KIRO).
News (CJOR).

12:45 P.M.—Vic and Sade (KOMO).
Between the Bookends (KJR).
Singin' Sam (KIRO).
Musical Interlude (KOL).
Harry Horlick's Orchestra (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—News (CBR).
That Girl From Fisher's (KOMO).
Organ (KJR).
Pretty Kitty Kelly (KIRO).
School of the Air (KOL).
Manhattan Mother (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—Actors in the Movies (CBR).
Stella Dallas (KOMO).
Mirt and Marge (KIRO).
Musical Workshop (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—Maids and Men (CBR, KOL).
Oh, Mr. Dinwiddie (KOMO).
Medicine in the News (KJR).
Hilltop House (KIRO).
Bud's Notebook (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—BBC News (CBR).
Blue Plate Special (KOMO).
Stepmother (KIRO).
Monitor Views the News (KOL).

2:00 P.M.—Girl Alone (KOMO).
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Br Kathleen Norris (KIRO).
All Women (KOL).
Studio Party (CJOR).

2:15 P.M.—Melody Lane (CBR).
Midstream (KOMO).
Irene Wicker (KJR).
Genevieve Rose (KIRO).
Johnson Family (KOL).

2:30 P.M.—Songs for Today (CBR).
Patty Jean (KOMO).
Frank and Archie (KJR).
It Happened in Hollywood (KIRO).
House of McGregor (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—Closing Stocks (CBR).
The O'Neills (KOMO).
Affairs of Anthony (KJR).
Scattergood Baines (KIRO).
American Legion News Barrage (KOL).

3:00 P.M.—Musical Bits (CBR).
Rush Hughes (KOMO).
Eddie Zollman (KJR).
Lanny Ross (KIRO).
Bob Ilene's Royal Hawaiians (KOL).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR).

3:15 P.M.—Studio Party (KOMO).
Blue Streak Rhythm Ensemble (KIRO).
Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Blue Barron's Orch (CBR).
Woman's Magazine of the Air (KOMO).
Dept. of Health (KJR).
Joyce Jordan (KIRO).
Music and Manners (KOL).
Pepper Young's Family (CJOR).

3:45 P.M.—Salon Orchestra (CBR).
Lil' Abner (KJR).
Today in Europe (KIRO).
News (KOL).
This Day Is Ours (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—Waltz Serenade (CBR).
Easy Aces (KOMO).
Mr. Nobody (KJR).
The Job Finder (KIRO).
Theatre Revue; High Notes (KOL).
Road of Life (CJOR).

4:15 P.M.—Mr. Keen (KOMO).
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Lost and Found (KIRO).
Haven of Rest (KOL).
Famous Voices (CJOR).

4:30 P.M. — Harry Kosen's Orchestra (CBR, KJR).
Meet Miss Julia (KOMO).
Accent on Music (KIRO).
Anything Goes (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—What Is the Old School Tie? (CBR).
U.S. Government Reports (KOMO).
Talking Drums (KOL).

5:00 P.M.—Miss Trent's Children (CBR).
Geo. Jessell (KOMO).
Bud Barton (KJR).
Accordiana (KIRO).
Frank Iacolucci (KOL).
The Ranger's Cabin (CJOR).

5:15 P.M.—Tom Mix (KJR).
Dealer in Dreams (KIRO).
Martha Weiderrecht (KOL).

5:30 P.M.—On Parade (CBR).
United States Army Band (KOMO)
How Do You Know (KJR).
Howard Costigan (KIRO).
Jack Armstrong (KOL).
Concert Hall (CJOR).

5:45 P.M.—Familiar Music (KOMO).
Bob Garred Reporting (KIRO).
Little Orphan Annie (KOL).

6:00 P.M.—U.B.C. Music Hour (CBR).
Good News of 1940 (KOMO).
Scandinavian Reporter (KJR).
Major Bowes' Amateur Hour (KIRO).
Shafter Parker (KOL).
Supper Dance (CJOR).

6:15 P.M.—News (KJR).
Cons. Carl Hinshaw (KOL).
Nicholson's Sports (CJOR).

6:30 P.M.—America's Town Meeting (KJR).
John B. Hughes (KOL).
The Good-Will Hour (CJOR).

6:45 P.M.—Facing the Past (KOL).

7:00 P.M.—Community Drama (CBR).
Music Hall (KOMO).
Glenn Miller's Orchestra (KIRO).
Raymond Gram Swing (KOL).
News (CJOR).

7:15 P.M.—Sentimental Serenade (CBR).
City Desk (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Light Up and Listen (CJOR).

7:30 P.M.—Florence Wyman and Tom Thomas (CBR).
Organ Concert (KJR).
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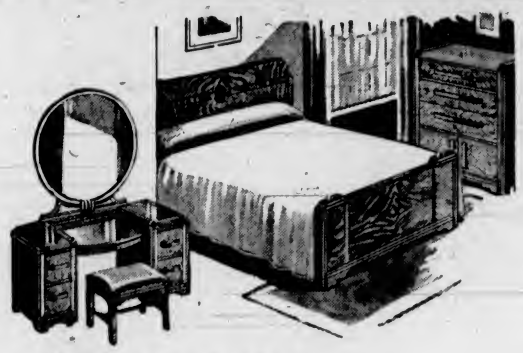

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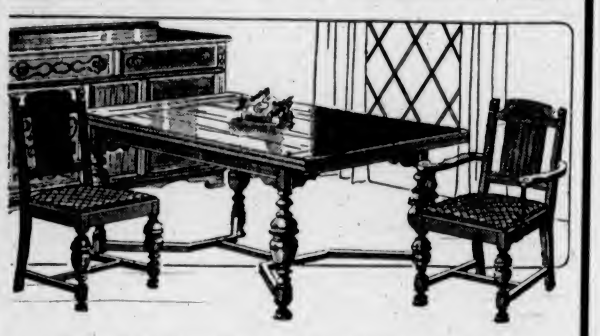

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—Furniture, 2nd Floor

One of the Outstanding Values of Our Home Furnishing Sale

Three-Piece

CHESTERFIELD SUITES

Built in Three Different Styles. Sale Prices, Each **$119.50**

THREE-PIECE SUITE—Remarkably well built and attractive in design. Has deep seats, springy backs and handsomely upholstered in silk. The chesterfield and one chair are covered in a delicate shade of green, and one chair in rust shade—a most pleasing combination—and fine workmanship. A suite **$119.50**

THREE-PIECE SUITE—Allover upholstered with cut velour of mulberry tone. The backs are high, the arms box style. Chairs styled individually for gentleman and lady. Price, complete **$119.50**

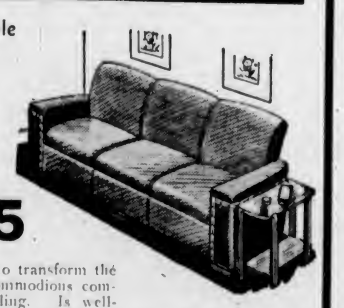
THREE-PIECE SUITE—Covered with floral velour in a subdued tone. The chesterfield and chairs are specially made with built-up corners. A very interesting style and special value at **$119.50**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Here's An Outstanding Sale Value

A Davenport Bed

With Arms **$39.75**



The one-piece back lowers easily to transform the davenport into a bed—and has commodious compartment in the bottom for bedding. Is well-upholstered with splendid wearing material—in pleasing designs and colorings.

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

The Moment You've Been Waiting For

Our February Sale of CARPETS

IN WHICH WE OFFER

Axminster, Wilton and Tufted Rugs

Discontinued Designs—Which in Many Cases Are Less Than Present Factory Cost

WILTON RUGS

2 Only—Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. With rust of black ground. Sale price, each **$67.50**

1 Only—Size 9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. (a Faristan). Finest of Wilton rugs. Former price, each, $110.00. Sale price, each **$89.00**

3 Only—"Pershaw" Wiltons. Size 9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. Marked for clearance. Each **$75.00**

1 Only—Wilton, size 6 ft., 9 ins. x 9 ft. Sale price **$35.00**

GEORGIC TUFTED RUGS

Fine, Heavy Wool Rugs in Modern Designs.

1 Only—Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Sale price **$59.00**

3 Only—Size 9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. Sale price **$52.50**

1 Only—Size 6 ft., 9 ins. x 9 ft. Sale price **$35.00**

PLAIN AXMINSTER RUGS

3 Only, Rugs—6 ft., 9 ins. x 9 ft.—band-bordered, plain Axminsters. Choice of blue, fawn or wine. February Sale price. Each **$29.75**

4 Only, Rugs—Size 9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. Blue, green, rust or wine. February Sale price. Each **$47.50**

3 Only—Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Choice of wine or rust. Sale price, each **$52.50**

PATTERNED AXMINSTER RUGS

4 Only—Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Good designs. Sale price, each **$39.75**

1 Only, Rug—Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Texture design. Sale price **$35.00**

3 Only, Rugs—9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. in attractive patterns. Sale price, each **$35.00**

1 Only, Rug—Size 9 ft. x 10 ft., 6 ins. Sale price **$29.75**

Numerous Other Special Sale Values

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

February Sale of LAMPS

An Outstanding Feature Today

Only Once in a Great While Are You Benefited by Such a "Money-Saver" as These Lamps, at the Low Prices Offered

SIX-WAY TRI-LITE **LAMPS** Each Complete With Shade **$6.95**

FLOOR LAMPS of good construction, with heavy weighted base, from which rises a strong, slender standard, finished in antique bronze or old ivory—to match the base. The standard of each lamp supports fancy three candle arms, an I.E.S. reflector and handsome shade. Several colors featured. See these lamps and you will not hesitate to make one of them yours.

12 ONLY—TABLE LAMPS—COMPLETE WITH SHADES. A Bargain, Each **$2.95**

Handsome lamps with well-constructed lighting fixtures on glazed pottery bases. Each complete with shade. Several colorings.

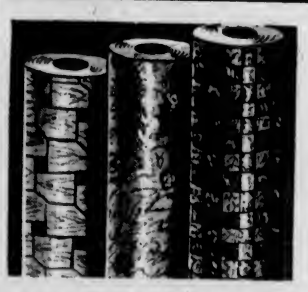
12 ONLY—TABLE LAMPS—Each With Shade. Special, Each **$2.00**

These lamps have neatly-shaped bases of glazed pottery. A lamp suitable for boudoir or living-room table. Assorted shades.

12 ONLY—TABLE LAMPS. With Artistic Glass Bases. Very Special **$1.49**

Each lamp is fitted with attractive shade. Something quite unique and splendid value at the price.

—Electrical Section, Lower Main Floor



FEBRUARY SALE OF

LINOLEUMS

SOME EXCEEDINGLY OUTSTANDING VALUES AT SALE PRICES COMMENCING TODAY

Although Linoleum Manufacturers Raised Their Prices Last November—We Purchased Ahead—And Are Offering All Our New Designs at the Old Prices—AND DISCONTINUED DESIGNS AT GREAT REDUCTIONS.

120 SQUARE YARDS OF SUPER MARBLE INLAID LINOLEUM, "A" GAUGE—Heaviest Dominion inlaid. Former price, a square yard, $2.65. Sale price **$2.25**

72 SQUARE YARDS IMBOSSED INLAID LINOLEUM—Attractive designs, "A" gauge. Former price, a square yard, $2.95. Sale price **$2.25**

100 SQUARE YARDS SUPER MARBLE INLAID "B" GAUGE LINOLEUM—Former price, a square yard, $2.25. Sale price **$1.95**

200 SQUARE YARDS OF SUPER MARBLE INLAID LINOLEUM—"C" gauge. Former price, a square yard, $1.79. Sale price **$1.39**

60 YARDS DOMINION INLAID LINOLEUM—Former price, a square yard, $1.50. Sale price **$1.35**

BRITISH INLAID LINOLEUM—Including some marble designs. Former price, a square yard, $1.29. Sale price **$1.19**

DOMINION PRINTED LINOLEUM—Regular, a square yard, 89c. Sale price **79c**

—Linoleum, 2nd Floor

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